

RUSSIA VETOES BERLIN PROPOSAL

Brussels Union
Considers U.S.,
Canadian LinkSecrecy Is Imposed;
Alliance Conference
Slated After Election

PARIS, Oct. 25 (AP)—Foreign Ministers of Britain, France and the Benelux countries met today to discuss how their alliance could be linked in a military treaty relationship with the United States and Canada.

Authoritative American and British sources said this was expected to be the central theme of the three-day conference. The ministers were meeting for the third time as the consultative council of the five-nation Brussels alliance.

A Washington dispatch said invitations to a conference to draft a military alliance between North America and Western Europe probably will go out soon after next week's presidential election.

(A Canadian government source in Ottawa said a seven-nation exchange of views at Cabinet level will be the next stage in the process toward a North Atlantic alliance.)

Restricted Sessions

Official British sources said the ministers decided soon after today's meeting began that the sessions would be completely restricted. Each delegation's own official spokesman left the meeting at once. There will be no briefing sessions for newsmen but a joint communiqué will be issued when the talks end, the informants said.

Sources in touch with the proceedings said the secret agenda before the ministers is highlighted by these issues:

1—Development of the Brussels union into a North Atlantic military pact with the United States and Canada.

2—Convocation, or indefinite deferment, of the Western European Assembly projected by France and Belgium.

3—Admitting new members into the Brussels union.

4—Consideration of the report of the Permanent Military Committee.

5—Economic, financial and cultural co-operation between the five countries.

6—Co-ordination of foreign policy. Talks held with U. S.

The ministers had before them reports from their ambassadors in Washington on talks they have been conducting during the last few months with the United States State and Defense Departments, the informants said.

Those talks were designed to establish the extent to which the two North American powers will back the military of the Brussels union in case of war, it was said.

The reports, the informants said, recommended that each country should begin drafting its version of a full scale military treaty between the United States and Canada and Britain, France, Belgium, the Netherlands and Luxembourg.

It is expected British Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin will advise caution in proceeding with the project to create a European political assembly out of which the French and Belgians hope a federation of European states will emerge.

King Will Launch
New Parliament

LONDON, Oct. 25 (AP)—King George VI and all his lords will don their finest robes tomorrow to open a session of Parliament which will consider the Labor government's plan to nationalize Britain's iron and steel industry.

The industry now operates as a private cartel. It is expected to be taken over under a law slightly more flexible than those used to bring coal, electricity, gas, aviation, communications and the Bank of England into public ownership.

King George may outline the steel plan in his address from the throne. The government's bill is expected to be introduced later.

Conservatives are expected to fight the legislation bitterly. They have no chance to beat the bill against the overwhelming Labor majority in the House of Commons.

The conservative-controlled House of Lords could, and many think will, reject it. Other observers believe the Lords may only offer amendments.

Another measure expected to be passed at this session makes ultimate victory for Prime Minister Attlee's government certain. This is a bill reducing the so-called veto power of the Lords from two years to one. Once this is done, time as well as votes will be on the government's side.

The new Parliament also will have to tackle military questions including a new civilian defense plan and possible extension of the period of service under the compulsory military training law. Effective January 1, the present law restricts such training to one year.

Israel Claims 30-1 Edge

TEL AVIV, Israel, Oct. 25 (AP)—The Israeli Air Force issued a statement tonight, the eve of its first anniversary, saying 30 enemy planes had been shot down in its first year of combat. The statement said only one Israeli plane was lost in battle.



NEW NAVY GOWN—A new official evening gown approved for women Navy officers was shown in Washington yesterday by Florence Knaus, Teaneck, N. J., a professional model. The outfit will not be available for formal wear until a new dress uniform has been approved for male officers. (Story at bottom of page.)

French Troops,
Police Take Over
Key Coal Fields12 Mines Seized; No
Violence Reported

PARIS, Oct. 25 (AP)—Thirty thousand and heavily armed French troops and police occupied approximately half of the nation's key northern coal fields today and seized at least 12 struck mines.

No violence was reported as the government forces, including Moroccan infantry units, moved in before dawn. Pickets meekly surrendered the pits to troops backed up by armored cars and heavy machine guns.

Government officials used battle-like language to describe the operation, saying: "All objectives were reached without incident."

15 Arrests Reported

The government forces swept over about 200 square miles in the area near the Belgian border. The main seizure of struck mines took place at Valenciennes and Douai about 15 miles from the border.

Quiet prevailed in the central and southern coal fields. The French mine strike has been in progress since October 4, costing the nation and through it the projects for European recovery an estimated 3,000,000 tons of coal.

The Communists, who called the strike, showed no open signs of weakening. Communist Deputy Arthur Ramette told a miners' meeting that if troops and police are kept in the coal fields the miners "will undertake a battle that will last as long as necessary" to drive them out.

Many Pits Flooded

Interior Minister Jules Moch, in a broadcast to miners, said the troops were being used "to prevent the destruction of hundreds of billions of francs of national wealth."

The mines, he declared, are "endangered by the criminal decision (of Communist union leaders) to abandon safety devices."

In another broadcast, Industrial Production Minister Robert Lacoste said hard sacrifices will be necessary to recover from the damage of the strike.

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Republicans And Demos,
With Election One Week
Away, Forecast VictoryTruman Cut Off
Air When His
Time Runs Out

NEW YORK, Oct. 25 (AP)—President Truman was cut off the air tonight by two national radio networks because his time ran out before he finished his address.

Mr. Truman spoke at a Democratic Party rally in Chicago from 10 p. m. to 10:30 p. m. (EST).

The Columbia Broadcasting System and the Mutual Broadcasting System said the Democratic National Committee had purchased a half hour's time on the networks and that when the time was up the President was cut off although he was still speaking.

The networks said the action was in keeping with their policy in regards to political speeches.

Democratic
Committee
Goes In Red

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25 (AP)—The Democratic National Committee filed a report with Congress showing it has gone \$10,755 in the red while spending \$1,503,709 in the party's drive to elect President Truman.

The Democrats started using red ink although they have spent \$202,661 less than the \$1,706,370 expenditures reported by the Republican National Committee.

Democrats said their committee's bank balance—a week before election—is down to \$8,485. Also listed as assets are \$95,000 in loans to state and local committees. But the total of \$103,485 in assets is \$10,755 less than the \$114,240 listed as unpaid obligations.

The Republicans did not give their bank balance or say whether they are operating in the black or in the red.

The Democratic contributor list contained, among others, the names of several Cabinet members and others prominent in the Roosevelt-Truman administrations. Among them were Cordell Hull, former Secretary of State, \$100; Secretary of the Treasury John W. Snyder and family, \$8,000; Francis Biddle, former Attorney General, \$200; former Gov. Herbert H. Lehman, of New York, \$1,000; Robert E. Hannegan, former Democratic national chairman, \$3,000; Marshall Field, Chicago, \$2,500; Mrs. Marshall Field, \$2,000; Attorney General Tom Clark, \$500; and Postmaster General Jesse M. McDonald, \$200.

A. F. Whitney, Cleveland, railroad union leader who once declared he would work to defeat Mr. Truman, was listed as one of the largest personal contributors to the Democrats till at \$4,000.

Republican contributors included many men and women prominent in business and industry. Some were listed as:

John D. Rockefeller, New York, \$1,000; Alfred P. Sloan, Jr., New York, \$3,000; Mrs. Alfred P. Sloan, \$3,000; Sewell L. Avery, Chicago, \$2,500; Mrs. Avery, \$1,000; Harry F. Sinclair, Jr., New York, \$3,000; Mrs. H. F. Sinclair, Great Neck, L. I., \$3,000; Harold Vanderbilt, New York, \$3,000; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mellon, Pittsburgh, \$5,000; Ernest T. Weir, Pittsburgh, \$2,000; Walter P. Chrysler, Jr., New York, \$2,500.

European Unity Group

BRUSSELS, Belgium, Oct. 25 (AP)—Winston Churchill, Leon Blum of France and Premiers Paul-Henri Spaak of Belgium and Alcide De Gasperi of Italy have accepted leadership of the European Movement, an organization to promote the unity of Europe.

History Made

Navy Authorizes Evening
Dresses For Its Women

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25 (AP)—The Navy came up today with stylish evening dresses for its WAVES and nurses.

Described as the first such fashion step in the military history of any nation, the new evening uniforms were displayed amid admiring "ohs" and "ahs" at a style show in the Pentagon today.

The uniforms are by Mainbocher, New York and Paris designer.

Gold sleeve stripes and "scrambled eggs"—the gold-embroidered headgear insignia—will add an extra dash of brilliance to the new forms. Until now, feminine officer rank has been told by light blue stripes for WAVES. Nurses, who have worn gold stripes all along, will now give up gold on day-time garb. Both WAVES and nurses will wear gold on the formal evening uniforms.

Secretary of the Navy Sullivan has already approved the new uniforms.

The only difference for officer and enlisted women will be in the rank insignia.

Also new, designed by Mainbocher, is a gray seersucker summer duty dress to be worn by nurses and Navy women—again alike for officers and enlisted personnel.

The revolutionary evening uniform is a three-piece ensemble of Navy blue sheer wool and white silk. The skirt is floor length, slightly flared and fitted at the waist by a wide cummerbund.

Worn beneath a blue wool mess-tie jacket is a tailored blouse of white silk with pleated front and a single row of small Navy gold buttons.

Truman Declares U. S.
Freedom Threatened;
Dewey Talks Tonight(By The Associated Press)
Victory claims came yesterday from both the Democrats and Republicans, with the presidential election one week away.

"We are sweeping toward victory," President Truman said in a Democratic campaign speech in Chicago. "Everywhere I go, I hear news and see faces that make me know the tide is rolling for us."

Herbert Brownell, Jr., campaign manager for Gov. Thomas E. Dewey, saw things just the other way. Brownell told a news conference in New York that Presidential Nominee Dewey will win a "stunning" victory for the Republicans and predicted that the present six-man majority for the GOP in the Senate will "at least" be maintained.

Also, Sen. Capehart (R-Ind.) said at Indianapolis that the GOP will keep control of the Senate after election day.

Truman Hits "Bubble" Promises
President Truman sounded his victory claim in a speech in which he told Chicagoans that:

"To preserve freedom and democracy in this country, we must put control of the Congress back in the hands of the American people. This means we must have a Democratic Congress."

"In 1933," Mr. Truman said, "the Democratic Party drove the money changers out of the temple and brought new life to our democracy. The Republican Party is now making soap bubble promises to behave better in the future."

In speaking of threats to democracy, Mr. Truman said that forces similar to those which backed Hitler, Mussolini and Tojo are "working against the Republican Party."

He said history shows that economic power in the hands of a few men had led to loss of freedom. That such men look for a "front" like the German and Italian dictators, "and it could happen here."

Mr. Truman's Chicago speech was the kickoff for the last, intensive round of campaigning. Tonight, he will speak in Cleveland and on following nights, in order, at Boston, New York, Brooklyn and St. Louis.

Dewey At Chicago Tonight
Gov. Dewey's turn at a Chicago audience comes tonight. Then he will follow much the same trail as Mr. Truman, speaking in Cleveland Wednesday night, in Boston Thursday night and in New York Saturday night.

The advance word was that Dewey would speak tonight on how government policies friendly to labor, business and agriculture could "help build a healthy and vigorous America."

Albany dispatches told of reports that Dewey is already studying possible Cabinet appointments, assuming he will be elected President next Tuesday.

Another Albany story quoted estimates by New York Republican leaders that Dewey will carry the state (47 electoral votes) by a margin of 400,000 to 700,000.

Democratic spokesmen disputed this, saying that Mr. Truman is closing strong and will carry New York. President Roosevelt won the state in 1944 by 316,000 votes, with important help from the American Labor Party and the Liberal Party.

Korean Mops Up
Insurgent Bands
SEOUL, Korea, Tuesday, Oct. 26 (AP)—South Korean army headquarters today reported fighting on the outskirts of Yosu during the night and said there was a good chance that the army rebellion began six days ago.

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The Korean Navy reported capture of two rebel craft in Yosu harbor in a raid Sunday, but there was no word of a planned army attack.

Premier Lee Bum Suk, who also is defense minister, said he would tour the affected area about 150 to 185 miles southwest of Seoul, starting tomorrow. Lee has attributed the uprising to Communists, with connivance of extreme rightists.

Korean officials did not alter their original estimate of "less than 500" dead on the government side. But Tom Lamber, Associated Press correspondent on the scene, reported 600 dead on both sides in the city of Suncheon alone.

CIO PLANS TO FIGHT
LABOR BOARD RULINGS

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25 (AP)—The CIO said today it would launch a court fight against a ruling by the National Labor Relations Board that mass picketing, which blocks plant entrances, is illegal.

Through its general counsel, the CIO also said it would fight another board ruling holding that a union is responsible for the illegal actions of its agents, even if these actions have been forbidden by the union.

The decisions were announced yesterday, in a case involving the CIO Longshoremen's Union. CIO General Counsel Arthur Goldberg said it is to be expected that the longshoremen will ask for a rehearing by the board. If they lose there, he said, the CIO will join in an appeal to the Circuit Court of Appeals and then to the Supreme Court if necessary.

The board acted under the Taft-Hartley law.

Army Requests 20,000
Draftees In January

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25 (AP)—The Army again stepped up its draft requirements today, calling for 20,000 men in January.

In its two previous draft calls, the Army asked 10,000 men for November and 15,000 for December.

Officials said that by January, the Army expects to be ready to handle 20,000 Selective Service inductees a month, in addition to voluntary enlistees. Induction, training and personnel facilities will be expanded to take care of the increased traffic.

So far, the Navy, Marine Corps and Air Force have made no draft calls.



ONE WAY OUT-- Prince Georges County (Md.) authorities say that if Marine Private First Class Quincy F. Perry (left), Wiggins, Colo., marries Bessie (Dimples) Nichols (right), Rockville, Md., they might extend leniency when she faces a technical robbery indictment which now holds her in jail. The marine and girl met in California where she fled after escaping jail last March.

Loyalists Battle Rebels
In Capital Of ParaguayShip Stands By
Helpless Navy
Landing Craft

NORFOLK, Va., Oct. 25 (AP)—The destroyer Forrest Royal reported tonight she had reached a helpless naval landing craft pounded by heavy seas 107 miles southeast of Cape May, N. J. The small vessel has 63 men aboard, all but four of them naval reservists.

Simultaneously with the arrival of the destroyer the weather-worsened Atlantic Fleet headquarters here reported 30-foot seas were running and wind velocities had climbed above 35 knots.

The LCIL-1093 was taking water in her engine room through a leak around her steering post. Her pumps, however, were able to rid her of the water as rapidly as it came in.

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Woman's Body Is Found
On Engine Cowcatcher

BALTIMORE, Oct. 25 (AP)—A Washington-Baltimore passenger train pulled into Camden station here tonight with the body of a woman on the engine's cowcatcher.

State Police said the woman, who was pronounced dead on arrival at University Hospital, was identified through friends as Mrs. Erma Little, 31, Dorsey, Md.

The said she apparently had been struck by the train.

Police said the train crew was unaware an accident had occurred until the body was sighted as the train was entering the station.

Chiang Flies To Mukden

PEIPING, Tuesday, Oct. 26 (AP)—Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek flew to Mukden today. This strengthened rumors the government has decided to make the seaport of Yinkow the Dunkirk for its withdrawal from all Manchuria.

Germans Offer
To Supply Pilots
For Berlin Haul

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25 (AP)—Four German labor leaders today offered to supply former German war pilots to fly the airlift to Berlin.

The offer was made by German Free Trade Union leaders at conferences with Undersecretary of War Draper.

The unionists, representing organized workers in Berlin and the three western occupation zones, will begin a tour of United States industrial centers Thursday.

Republicans Claim
Kansas, Hopeful In
Texas, OklahomaGOP Slugging It
Out In Missouri

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 25 (AP)—If you're looking for something sure politically—that is such a thing—take the Republicans in Kansas.

GOP leaders already are counting that state's eight electoral votes as theirs. But that's about far enough to talk with authority in these parts.

The Democrats are banking on taking Missouri, Oklahoma and Texas. There are 48 electoral votes in the three states—23 in Texas, 15 in President Truman's home state of Missouri and 10 in Oklahoma.

The Republicans are hopeful in Texas and Oklahoma, both traditionally Democratic, and are slugging it out in Missouri with election day just a week away.

Missouri began moving over to the Republican side in 1940. The late Franklin D. Roosevelt carried it four times but his majorities ranged down from 460,000 high in 1932 to 46,000 four years ago.

In 1946, Missouri went heavily Republican and today both its senators and nine of its 13 congressmen are Republicans.

Oklahoma Is Borderline
Oklahoma is rated borderline by both Republicans and Democrats. There one Senate seat and eight congressional seats, two held by Republicans, are at stake.

In Texas, where the Democratic primaries generally decide all political contests, the southern split over states' rights and a bitter United States senatorial primary fight has generated considerable intra-Democratic heat.

Kansas appears to have only one election question.

How will it vote on the proposed repeal of its 68-year-old constitutional prohibition against intoxicating liquor?

Kansas has not gone Democratic since 1936 and today with two heavy vote getters, Frank Carlson for re-election as Governor and Andrew F. Schoepel for the Senate, it stands as a Republican stronghold.

It would take a brave man, and a bit on the foolhardy side, to predict the outcome of the wet-dry issue in Kansas. In 1934, the voters there turned down repeal by an 89,000 majority. Most observers feel the state's much wetter now. How much is the question. Both parties steered clear of the issue in their platforms.

Carpenter Opposes Carlson
Carlson, 55-year-old farmer-stockman, is opposed by Randolph Carpenter, former congressman and later a United States district attorney. Schoepel, twice governor, is running against Democrat George McGill, former United States Senator, for the Senate job.

All of Kansas' six Republican congressmen are up for re-election. None appears to be in danger.

In Missouri it's the Democrats who have a recognized vote-getter. He is 62-year-old Forrest Smith, seeking the governorship after four terms as state auditor.

Some think if the Democrats carry the state it will be Smith rather than Truman who sets the pace. Smith's Republican rival is 33-year-old Murray E. Thompson, speaker of the state House of Representatives—a newcomer in politics but a hard campaigner.

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'Neutrals' Will
Keep On Trying
For SettlementSoviets Won't Lift
Barrier Until Money
Agreement In Effect

PARIS, Oct. 25 (AP)—Russia's Andrei Y. Vishinsky tonight vetoed the plan submitted by the six "neutral" members of the United Nations Security Council for settling the Berlin dispute.

It was the Soviet Union's 23rd veto and the second cast by Vishinsky personally. The vote was 9 to 2, with Russia and the Soviet Ukraine casting the lone negative votes.

Argentine Foreign Minister Juan Atilio Bramuglia, acting president of the council, told newsmen: "I will keep on trying to get a peaceful settlement."

He spoke for the five other "neutrals"—China, Syria, Belgium, Canada and Colombia—as well as his own country.

The discussion just before the vote disclosed that the major sticking point between Russia and the Western Powers is: When will the Russian blockade on Berlin be lifted and when will the Russian mark be made the currency for all four sectors in Berlin?

Bramuglia Congratulated
Dr. Philip C. Jessup, United States delegate, told the council that responsibility for stopping council action rested solely upon the Soviet Union.

Immediately after the vote, Jessup went over to Bramuglia and congratulated him for his efforts to bring Russia and the Western Powers together.

"You know that this is not over yet," Jessup told Bramuglia. "You know that you will have to continue working for a solution."

As he left the jammed hall, Vishinsky said to a reporter: "My position is perfectly clear. There is nothing to add to it."

The vetoed resolution proposed that Russia and the Western Powers lift all restrictions on communications with Berlin as soon as the four governments had been notified that the resolution was adopted.

It also provided that at that same moment the military governors of the four powers in Berlin would begin negotiations aimed at making the Soviet currency the single money for all Berlin. The currency arrangement would go into effect by November 20. The final provision called for a meeting of the Council of Foreign Ministers by November 30 for a discussion of the whole German problem.

The Western Powers refused to negotiate on the currency issue until the blockade is lifted; Russia refused to raise the restrictions until the currency agreement actually is in effect.

There was no immediate indication that the next move would be. An authoritative British source said the Big Three western foreign ministers had arranged a meeting for 9:30 a. m. (EST) tomorrow to decide future steps.

Meeting Is Delayed
Today's council meeting was delayed more than two one-half hours, while Bramuglia consulted the Western Powers on a formula which he believed might be acceptable to Russia. The Western Powers, however, turned the new proposal down.

Vishinsky did not keep the delegation waiting for long when the (Continued on Page 2, Col. 1)

U.S. Rodeo Troupe
Expelled By Swiss

GENEVA, Oct. 25. (AP)—Forty cowboys and cowgirls of an American rodeo company were ordered expelled from Switzerland today after a free-for-all fight last night at the Palais Des Expositions.

The outbreak left a large number of Geneva policemen with bruised knuckles, battered uniforms and slight headaches.

Larry Smurlock, Winter Garden, Fla., in whom the Swiss newspapers described as "chief of the tribe" still was in the police station explaining the fracas to the police, the American consul and his creditors.

He was ordered to pay 1,000 francs (about \$250) for torn uniforms, lost buttons and other police property damage.

The police made each member of the show sign a statement admitting that he had "gravely abused the hospitality granted him by our country by taking part in the riot."

It all started at the end of last night's performance when a Swiss named Michael accepted the show's challenge to ride a sorrel bronco named Income Tax for at least 10 seconds and win 1,000 francs.

Michael claimed he did it. The cowboys said he wasn't even riding Income Tax but had managed to hang onto a horse named Fifty for about 10 seconds.

There also was an argument over an automobile which Smurlock engaged with a deposit of 1,500 francs to be driven up a ramp by a daredevil and hurled over a bus. Apparently that dispute concerned how much of the 1,500 francs the owner of the automobile was to retain after picking up his car on the other side of the bus.

There was a minor scuffle at first but it quickly grew into a free-for-all. At its peak it was reminiscent of a barroom set-to in a western movie.

Doctor Says:

Heart Can Have Abnormal
Rhythm And Still Be Okay

MIAMI, Fla., Oct. 25 (AP)—Your heart can have abnormal rhythm and still be okay, the Southern Medical Association was told today—but you should have a checkup, just in case.

Dr. David A. Nathan, Miami, said abnormally rapid and slow beating of the heart, as well as "pounding" or "flutter" can occur in normal hearts as well as in heart afflicted with organic disease.

In fact, he told the opening session of the association's 42nd annual meeting, practically all of the abnormal types rhythm found in organic heart disease have been demonstrated in normal hearts.

Abnormal rhythms in otherwise healthy hearts, he said, are due to such things as worry and fear; acute infections in another part of the body, such as severe tonsillitis and pneumonia; bodily disturbances resulting from over-indulgence in alcohol, coffee, tobacco or drugs;

and over-activity of the thyroid gland.

All of these causative factors may be correctable, he said, adding that abnormal rhythms in otherwise normal hearts rarely, if ever, shorten the span of life.

But he emphasized that in any case where an abnormal rhythm exists, it is necessary that a doctor be consulted so that it can be determined whether it is due to actual heart disease, or just a "functional" disturbance of an otherwise-healthy organ.

Dr. Nathan said studies on soldiers' hearts during the war definitely established that abnormal rhythms can occur in normal hearts.

Of 3,629 electrocardiograms (graphic representations of the heart's action) taken of soldiers' hearts which were proven to have no organic disease, he said, 895 or 24.7 per cent—showed the presence of abnormal rhythms.

High Court Backs "Memoirs" Ban

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25 (AP)—The Supreme Court today backed up New York's action in banning "Memoirs of Hecate County" as an obscene book not protected by the free press guarantee of the Constitution.

The decision on Edmund Wilson's collection of short stories was 4 to 3 and there were no written opinions to show any of the high court's reasoning.

The effect of a tie vote is to uphold lower courts. In this case it affirmed state court decisions which had assessed Doubleday and Company, Inc., a fine of \$1,000 for publishing the book.

Justice Frankfurter took no part in the case. Hence his vote on any comparable test in the future might throw the decision either way. He gave no reason for sitting out the "Memoirs" case. How the other justices voted was not disclosed.

Publishers have shown great interest in the litigation as the test of how far states may go in general bans against alleged obscenity. Along with this decision the high court also:

1. Put its okay on mass trial and conviction of 35 pickets arrested during a 1946 strike at the Columbia movie studio in Los Angeles.

2. Agreed to pass on the validity of South Carolina's law against ownership and operation of an undertaking business by a life insurance company.

Marital Law Decreed

ATHENS, Oct. 25 (AP)—King Paul I signed today a decree imposing marital law in the Peloponnese, where guerrilla activity has been increasing.

Weather In Nearby States

WEST VIRGINIA and WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA. Mostly sunny, warmer in afternoon, today and tomorrow; clear and cool at night.

Glen Burnie Murder Probers Release Welder

BALTIMORE, Oct. 26 (AP)—An 18-year-old shipyard welder who was questioned in connection with last month's double-murder near Glen Burnie was released today by police.

They said they determined that the youth had had nothing to do with the killings of John Mahan and Mary Kline. The young couple was shot after going on a date last September 17.

Ohioan Dies In Chair For Slaying Spinster

COLUMBUS, O., Oct. 25 (AP)—Nathaniel Henry Strain, 26, Columbus, died in the electric chair at Ohio Penitentiary tonight for the rape-murder of a 76-year-old spinster.

Strain killed Miss Alice Lauterbach, Columbus, more than eight years ago.

He was convicted last June 17 after a confession while serving a breaking and entering sentence in the West Virginia state prison at Moundsville.

Richard Dix, Veteran Film Star, Seriously Ill

MONROVIA, Calif., Oct. 25 (AP)—Richard Dix, veteran movie star, is seriously ill in a sanitarium here after a heart attack, his wife said today.

The 53-year-old actor will recover with sufficient rest, Mrs. Dix said. Dix is famous for his virile roles in such silent pictures as "The Vanishing American" and the talkie "Cimarron." He once was among the industry's biggest box office attractions.

Ready To Try Again

FULLERTON, Calif., Oct. 25 (AP)—Bill Barris and Dick Riedel, grounded yesterday by magneto trouble and fogbound today, hope to resume their endurance flight record attempt tomorrow.

Patterson Will Executors Request Dec. 6 Trial

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25 (AP)—Federal District Court was asked today to set trial on the validity of the will of Publisher Eleanor Patterson for December 6, the "earliest practicable date."

The request was filed by Frank Waldrop, William C. Shelton and Joseph Brooks, executors of the will. Waldrop and Shelton are also executives of the late Mrs. Patterson's newspaper, the Washington Times-Herald.

The three said that "extreme hardship" has been caused "various beneficiaries" by a suit filed to have the will set aside. That suit was filed by Mrs. Patricia Glyzka, Mrs. Patterson's only daughter.

"Neutrals" Will

(Continued from Page 1) council finally got under way. Raising his voice, he told the western delegates "you are telling us" to take off the communications restrictions and "we will begin the talks."

"There is no time limit for the removal of the restrictions," he declared. "The talks will begin at the same time the restrictions are lifted and that is what you call simultaneity."

Jessup appeared completely prepared for the Soviet announcement of the impending veto. He read from a prepared statement, departing from it only to answer Vishinsky's final blast.

"In the judgment of the world," he said, "this was a just and reasonable solution, drafted by the representatives of six countries from all over the globe. If the Berlin question is not settled on the basis of this resolution, the responsibility for the failure will rest squarely and unavoidably on the Soviet Union."

Republicans Claim

(Continued from Page 1) Truman's stock in his home state, however, has gone up. Early this month James J. Carroll, betting commissioner at St. Louis, quoted

Truman as an even bet to carry the state. Now he has made him a 3 to 1 favorite.

The Republicans may have trouble retaining five of their nine congressional seats in Missouri. The Democrats face battle for one of the four they hold. That one happens to be in Truman's home district, the Fourth where Democrat C. Jasper Bell is retiring after 14 years.

A young Republican, Richard Erickson, is waging a no-quarters battle against Leonard Irving, a union labor leader, there.

Both parties have struck hard in Oklahoma. For the first time presidential nominees of both parties have included it in their campaign tours. But Oklahoma never has elected a Republican Governor and only three times has it sent a Republican to the Senate. Harding, in 1920, and Hoover, in 1928, are the only GOP presidential nominees to carry it.

Former Gov. Robert S. Kerr, 51, is the Democrats' man for the Senate. Rep. Ross Riley, 56, is the Republicans' man. They are fighting over a seat vacated by the retirement of Republican Sen. E. H. Moore. A Tulsa oil man.

Kerr is under fire of a Senate

elections subcommittee. One of its investigators has charged \$65,500 was spent in behalf of his primary campaign. The state law limits expenditures to \$6,000. Kerr has denied the charge.

Aside from the Senate race, eight congressional posts will be filled in Oklahoma. All but two are held by Democrats, who figure they'll lose no ground in the lower House.

Republicans, encouraged by the Democratic family row over states rights, have made a lively bid for Texas protest votes. They have sent both Earl E. Warren, their vice presidential nominee, and Harold Stassen there for campaign speeches.

President Truman did not overlook the Texas situation either. He spent three days vigorously stamping the state.

The heated battle between Rep. Lyndon Johnson and Former Gov. Coke Stevenson over the party's senatorial nomination didn't help Democratic matters.

Stevenson lost by 87 votes in the primary runoff for the seat vacated by Sen. W. Lee O'Daniel. He charged election frauds, went to Federal Court in an effort to keep Johnson's name off the ballot and lost in the Supreme Court. He threw his support to Jack Porter, Republican nominee.

Loyalists Battle

(Continued from Page 1) Washington and a high police official.

The announcement by Raul Acevedo, chief of the secret police, came after a series of terrorist outbreaks here last night. Two persons were wounded, one fatally, and three police officers were abducted and held for several hours during the disorders. Firemen also reported finding evidence of attempted arson in at least two places in the city.

Police received orders early today from Minister of Government Jose Daniel Crespo to shoot any persons attempting a repetition of the outbreaks. Crespo said the government is maintaining vigilance throughout the republic to preserve order. The capital city appeared quiet now.

French Troops

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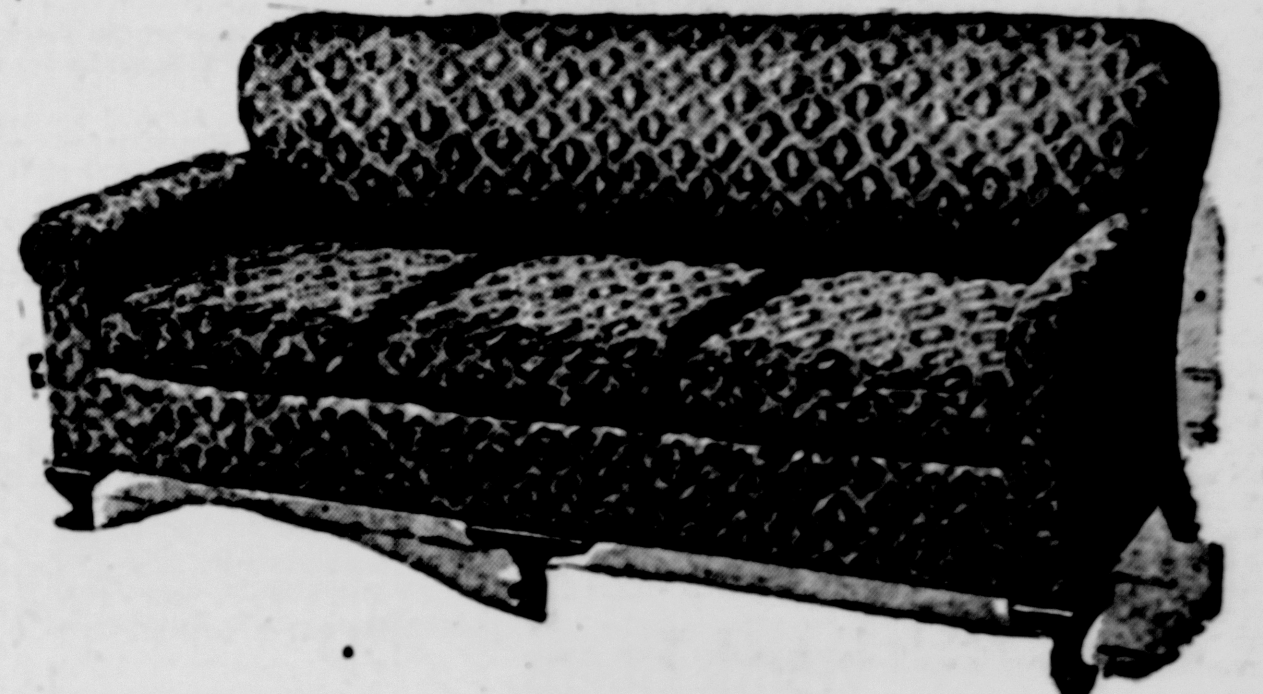
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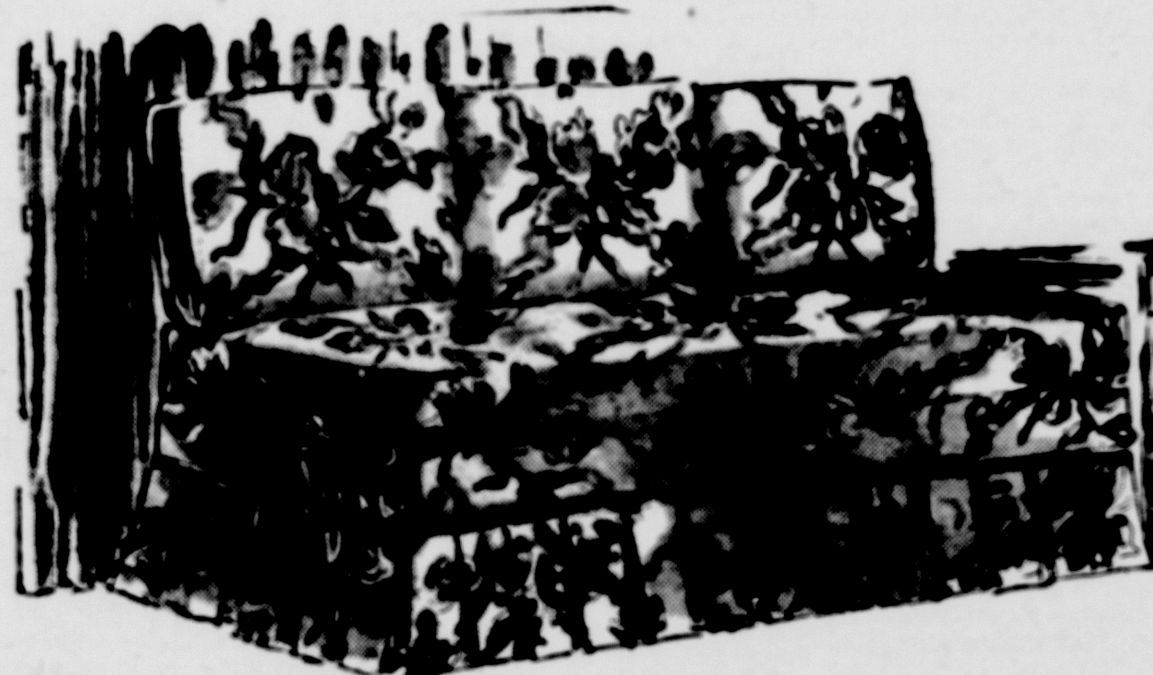
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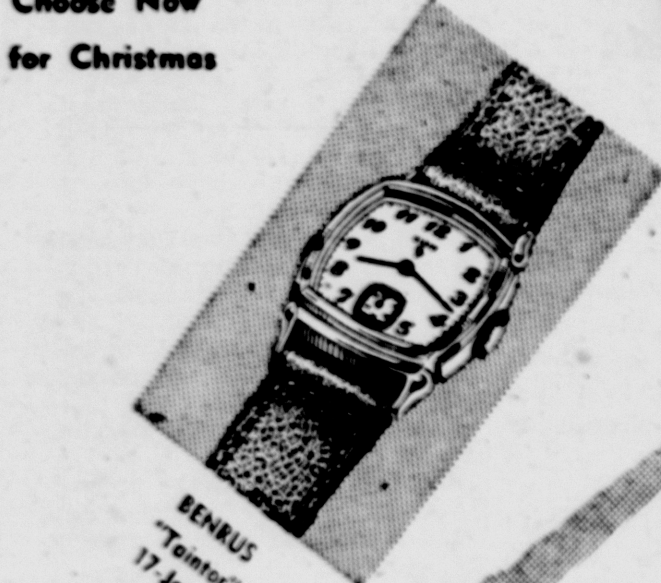
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An Ingenious, But Not Very Practical Plan

Reports from the political fronts and the polls indicate that Dewey is as good as in, but that control of the next Senate is still very much in doubt.

In our opinion, if Dewey wins by anything like the majority that most observers predict, he will carry the Senate as well as the House along with him. There are signs, however, of an unusual amount of split-balling this year and the prediction is freely made that "the independent vote" will decide control of the Senate.

These independents are said to be torn two ways. Most of them intend to vote for Dewey, but in some doubtful states many are reported eager to vote for Democratic instead of Republican candidates for the Senate. A cause of concern, however, is that if the Democrats carry the Senate even by one vote, they will organize the upper House and thus oppose any Dewey program. The independents want especially to keep GOP Senator Vandenberg as chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee.

To solve this alleged independent dilemma, an ingenious proposal has been made—that half a dozen Democratic Senators who are running this year should announce at once that, if their party carries the Senate by a small majority, they will vote with the Republicans to organize the Senate, thereby keeping Vandenberg in his valuable post and fixing clear responsibility upon a Dewey Administration.

That's an ingenious plan, all right, but it is not very practical for two reasons. Perhaps some Democratic Senators would vote to keep Vandenberg where he is. But to pledge themselves in advance to support Republicans for all major senatorial committees would come pretty close to opposing the will of the electorate—to say nothing of betraying their lifelong party affiliations.

Even to endorse Vandenberg publicly would be more than embarrassing to Democratic Senators. The Michigan Republican is the senatorial pillar of our bi-partisan foreign policy. He has kept resolutely to his non-partisan role in foreign affairs and has carried the Republican Senate with him. If, now, Democratic Senators pledged themselves to retain Vandenberg, they would be saying, in effect, that they do not trust Senator Connally to continue a bi-partisan policy as chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee, under a Republican President.

The conclusion for the individual voter is inescapable. If he wants a Republican administration, he will have to vote for a Republican Congressman and a Republican Senator as well as for Dewey and Warren.

Size Of Presidential Vote Matter Of Speculation

There will be 95,000,000 Americans of voting age by November 2, Election Day, the Census Bureau estimates. It also estimates that 35,000,000 of them will not vote. This prediction seems likely to be borne out although some pollsters, as pointed out by David Lawrence in his column on this page today, have come to the conclusion that not more than 52,000,000 votes will be cast. Not to vote, of course, is their privilege in a free country.

In 1944, according to the bureau, votes cast for President totaled 47,976,263. But that was only 54.4 per cent of the voting age population. So if the same proportions of Americans of voting age go to the polls this year, the number of ballots cast will be 53,580,000.

Of course, the ratio might equal that for 1940, when 49,820,000 citizens went to the polls, a percentage of 59.5 of the voting age population. In that case the total this year will be 56,525,000. After all, 1944 was a war year, and it is possible that this year will see a larger percentage of the populace at the polls than 1940. But it doesn't seem likely.

Why is it that at the most only three out of five citizens take a hand in choosing a President? Part of the answer is that some of those who are old enough to vote are ineligible. They are unable to satisfy residence requirements or they are confined to prison or mental hospitals. But all of these people, plus the inhabitants of the District of Columbia, do not add up to 35,000,000.

The plain fact is that, in every presidential election the issues lack sufficient appeal to 40 per cent of the potential voters to cause them to go to the polls. It may be different this year.

Who Are Toys For, Children Or Parents?

What with revelations of communist activities in the United States, the Berlin blockade and the presidential campaign, many persons had almost forgotten to watch the calendar. Now all of a sudden a little news item acts as a reminder that its only 65 days until Christmas.

Christmas is a season of burgeoning good will, much of it mis-directed. Christmas presents, for example, too often are the last thing the recipient wants. The children of the family, who of course get most of the presents, are saddled with junk—one-day novelties, soon broken and tired of even sooner. Buying toys for children takes more horse sense than you might think.

That's what the news item mentioned was talking about—toys. A group of child experts in New York agreed that parents think too much about their own tastes and predilections and too little about what the child will enjoy and benefit from. They buy playthings that are pretty, fragile, complicated and uninteresting as soon as the novelty wears off. Such toys aren't what a child would choose.

Some of the best toys for children are unpainted building blocks, interlocking trains and track sections. In this case bright toys are not good, because they distract children. But parents are not attracted by unpainted playthings.

Children like dolls and wish their parents would buy dolls that would last longer. But they could get a lot more out of their doll play if adults didn't always give them baby dolls, and female ones at that. There ought to be a daddy doll, too.

Russia does not have arms necessary to wage war, it is asserted. Perhaps Washington will have to lend-lease them the stuff if there is to be any fighting.

HOW TO KEEP WELL

By Dr. Theodore R. Van Dellen

To the limit of space, questions pertaining to the prevention of disease will be answered. Personal replies will be made under proper limitations, when return stamped envelope is enclosed. Dr. Van Dellen will not make diagnosis or prescribe for individual diseases.

Opium Addiction

Opium is one of our oldest drugs. It contains several ingredients, the most important of which are morphine and papaverine. When these substances are administered in a moderate dose they relieve pain and ease coughing. If the same quantity is given to an individual lying in bed, sleep is encouraged. The sleep stage is frequently preceded by a short interval of restlessness and a sense of being "on top of the world" (euphoria). In other words, the drug has an exciting influence, followed by a state of drowsiness.

The chief disadvantage of opium or its derivatives is that addiction occurs if employed over a long period of time. Once this happens, it is difficult to stop because when the compound is withheld, uncomfortable symptoms ensue. Within 12 to 24 hours, the addict becomes restless, yawns, sneezes, perspires profusely, and breaks out in "goose-flesh." By the second or third day, he starts to vomit, develops diarrhea, and has no desire to eat. Violent headache and painful muscular cramps of the legs and abdomen appear. The hands shake and, in extreme cases, the victim becomes maniacal and delirious. Should shock intervene, morphine must be given as a life saving measure. The severity of such manifestations depends upon the personality of the individual, how long he has been an addict, and the amount he consumes.

There are many misconceptions about addicts. The drug is blamed for making them weak, anemic, and emaciated but the majority spend all their money on dope and have none left for food. Furthermore, most of them were maladjusted neurotics before acquiring the habit. At some time in their lives they received a few "shots" from a pedler or another addict. They enjoyed the soothing effect, which banished their cares and worries for an hour or two making life more tolerable. Consequently the adventure was repeated and soon a habit was established.

Once the victim experiences the suffering associated with discontinuance of the preparation, he lives in fear of being deprived of it. It is this factor and not the drug that is the motivating force behind his criminal tendencies. Cash is needed and he turns to petty thievery, shoplifting, begging, or dope peddling. But when no money is available, and the symptoms of withdrawal begin, the unfortunate person will stop at nothing and will often commit a serious crime.

Most of these men and women could not be singled out on the street as addicts; they look like any one else and are not the wild-eyed creatures we have been led to believe. If their arms were bared, however, the hypo marks would be evident. Furthermore, they rarely sterilize the needles and as a result, abscesses form beneath the skin and scars exist from previous infections. Malaria and other diseases are sometimes transmitted from one to another because the same syringe and needle are used by several addicts when coming in for a refill. Treatment in a hospital or sanitarium is required but the majority return to the habit unless the basic cause is eradicated.

Late Epilepsy

H. A. writes: Is it possible for a man past 50 to develop epilepsy?

Reply: Yes but in the majority of cases of this nature, a definite lesion of the brain (such as tumor) is responsible. Thus, the disorder differs from the ordinary type of epilepsy in which the cause is obscure.

Abnormal Secretion: C. J. writes: Is a discharge from the nipples a symptom of any disease other than cancer?

Reply: Yes and in the majority of instances, cancer is not responsible. Cysts and benign tumors are usually to blame. Some cases require surgery; in others, the discharge disappears spontaneously.

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The Washington Merry-Go-Round

Here Are Some Representatives Who, Drew Pearson, In His Own Opinion, Thinks Should Not Be Returned To Washington This Election Day

By DREW PEARSON

EN ROUTE Through Midwest, Oct. 25—Too many voters have the idea that once they pick a President every four years their voting job as American citizens is over. They don't seem to realize that no President, no matter what the party, can put across a program without an intelligent Congress.

If Congress is made up of party hacks and hangers-on, chiefly interested in patronage and nepotism, almost any administration will bog down. With a view to sorting out the Congressional wheat from the chaff, therefore, here is the Washington Merry-Go-Round scorecard of Congress.

First, no attempt is made to evaluate Southern Democrats, since their real election comes in the primaries. These are the Congressmen who don't deserve to be re-elected. Those who merit re-election will follow in a subsequent column.

The List: Charles K. Fletcher, San Diego, Cal., Republican—Tool of the real-estate lobby, has been under federal investigation for loaning money from his own building-and-loan association to build a hotel on land sold a contractor by the Congressman's father. Next to Rep. Jesse Wolcott of Michigan, Fletcher was the lobby's chief inside executioner of public housing.

Robert F. Rockwell, Colorado, Republican—Though one of the wealthiest men in the state, he has put a local political leader, Crissa B. Pond, on the government payroll at \$282.83 a month, supposedly as a member of Rockwell's office staff. However, Pond, never in Washington, travels with Rockwell during his campaign. Rockwell has voted consistently against all progressive measures.

Edwin A. Hall, Binghamton, N. Y., Republican—Has four members of his family on the payroll, from his father down to his 16-year-old son sold a "folder" in the House Document Room, and his 19-year-old daughter who has been a student at Maryland University. Voting record—reactionary.

Leo Isaacson, New York, Laborite—Never amounted to much more than a weak echo of Sen. Glen Taylor and Rep. Vito Marcantonio. Republicans and Democrats are joining forces to oust him from his short-term seat. Disarming manner, dogged will.

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Bert Gearhart, California, Republican—Has a consistent record in favor of the California wine interests, for isolation, and he reached a new high in statesmanship when he introduced a bill barring newsboys from Social Security benefits.

Toward The East: Horace Seely-Brown, Connecticut, Republican—A pushbutton party liner. Party leaders merely push the buzzer and Seely-Brown votes as they tell him. Was one of five House members who voted against higher education allowances for war vets.

P. W. Griffiths, Ohio, Republican—A do-nothing Congressman who once admitted to newsmen that in four years he had never delivered a single speech.

Fred Smith, Ohio, Republican—A Horse Doctor who left any horse one else and at home when he came to Congress.

Raymond Burke, Ohio, Republican—Travels at rocking-chair speed in an atomic age. Lets the GOP bosses do his thinking. Studious.

Dewey's Concern For National Unity Of Government Justified

By MARK SULLIVAN

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old, kindly, his only accomplishment was a bill setting up federal game preserves.

Robert McGarvey, Pennsylvania, Republican—Colorless, backward, Congressman. Well-meaning, but lightweight. Content to follow the House leadership.

C. W. Bishop, Illinois, Republican—Never should have given up tailoring for politics. His chief claim to notoriety is that when a group of Congressmen called at the Vatican he talked back to his Holiness, The Pope.

Fred Crawford, Michigan, Republican—Acid-tongued, he is always talking his way into trouble; defiantly opposed admitting Hawaii into the Union because he didn't want to have a couple of "Jap" senators; later reversed himself and supported both Hawaiian and Alaskan statehood. Created a furore by demanding that John Vinson resign from the Commerce Department because his daughter worked for Soviet News Agency Tass; was forced to eat his words when it turned out Vinson was a friend of the GOP. Divides his time between his office and a Maryland farm.

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Phil Murray Made To Tell Untruth About Labor Law

By DAVID LAWRENCE

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25—Phil Murray, head of the CIO, is such a pleasant and reasonable fellow personally that one wonders why he is given in his speeches the personality of a "strong arm" labor leader interested in preserving methods of violence in the world. Whoever writes these speeches—for certainly a man of Mr. Murray's conscience and standing couldn't write them—has blundered in presenting the CIO as on the side of disorder and violence in picketing.

"Every day," says the text of the Murray speech of last Saturday night, "the evil consequences of this law multiply. Just last week the Taft-Hartley Law was held to outlaw picketing, however peaceful and orderly, if engaged in by a solid number of strikers. I say Taft and Hartley and their candidate for President that labor will not permit this invasion of our clear constitutional rights."

But if the ghost writers of the Murray speech had taken the slightest trouble to read the text of the decision issued by the trial examiner for the National Labor Relations Board last week they would have realized they were putting Mr. Murray in the position of telling an untruth.

Ruling Draws Distinction: The examiner did not outlaw picketing "however peaceful and orderly," if engaged in by a solid number of strikers. The examiner was careful to draw a distinction between the mere presence of large numbers of pickets and their lining up in front of a factory entrance in such a way as to prevent any worker or anyone else from going in or out of another plant. He is quoted as saying: "Labor wants no part of the Taft-Hartley Law." But does Mr. Murray really mean that? Doesn't the first part of the Taft-Hartley Law contain, word for word, the language of the Wagner Act compelling employers to bargain with workers and giving workers the rights of self-organization? Does Mr. Murray mean to say he doesn't want that part of the Taft-Hartley Law either. If so, that's really news and Mr. Murray is lining up behind those reactionaries on both the labor and management sides who want no regulation of labor-management relations at all by the federal government but a return to the jungle law of economic warfare.

It is not so long ago that violence-minded employers, Mr. Murray will recall, engaged "strong

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These Days By GEORGE E. SOKOLSKY

The Peace We Dreamed

PERHAPS it is not good form to jump the gun on a preview of a motion picture, but as I cannot contain my emotional response to Walter Wanger's "Joan of Arc," I have to tell you that never in all my days have I been so driven to describe and praise an artistic work which, like all true art, carries with it an eternal message—the message of human liberty.

Motion pictures are intended to entertain, and often it is said that the reason so few pictures attain such heights as "The Song of Bernadette" or "The Keys of the Kingdom" is that the public wants only amusement and not really the unbelievably glorious. The proof that that is not so lies in the box-office returns of fine pictures; the astonishing success of such a film as "Henry V." But nothing that I have seen or heard equals in beauty, in authenticity, in fine acting or in the emotional response of the audience to "Joan of Arc."

It ought to be shown in every city and village of France, Italy, Spain and Germany that they may know that hope is eternal, that life does not become a harsh end as we grow old, as faith and sacrifice and determination to be free are not dead.

For what the story of "Joan of Arc" tells is that the quality of greatness may be found in the humblest soul as the beautiful violet will grow in the dung of the woods. Joan was an illiterate peasant girl. She knew no affairs of state nor how men rose to high rank. She only believed that God could not wish upon men the miseries of slavery, the tortures of the spirit in alien tutelage, the heart-break of defeat, the hopelessness of life without liberty. And so she, the little girl from nowhere who believed, moved the world of her day and stirred the imagination of man forever.

Joan of Arc was burned at the stake. Those who killed her now pray in her name. She gave courage to a nation. She taught that only those are slaves who choose to be slaves, the evil of sin is not in slavery as it is in the choice not to be free. Joan will ever be the patron saint of human liberty.

This is difficult motion picture material. Only one slip into the vulgar and it descends to the level of what is called Hollywood. But there is no slip. The level is high; the tone is right; the choice of words, the sequence of events, the music, the costumes, the lighting, the religious emotions authentic to the last detail.

The ideal of human liberty is the essence of Western civilization. Other civilizations have had other ideals, but we are nothing once we abandon the concept that man was created free and to be free. No government, no power, no man can destroy the freedom of the individual man. This, Joan of Arc heard in the voices which inspired her and formed the pattern of her short life.

Most of us do not hear voices, but we do hear eternally the voice of liberty. It is the soul of our being; it is the explanation of our existence. Too often we fail to listen. We take too much for granted. Enjoying liberty, we accept what we have and fail to be vigilant. We seek that security which is total in a madhouse or a prison or in slavery.

That explains why even intelligent men and women turn to the ugliness of Communism—they ignore the blessings of liberty.

erty; they seek the security of a state-guaranteed existence in physical and spiritual slavery. They abandon faith in God for the fleshpots of mediocre living.

The film "Joan of Arc" will cause such to feel vulgar and cheap, for they witness in the character and suffering, the sacrifice and martyrdom of Joan, the soul that moves the world—a soul such as they themselves possess but which they abandon and forget. For the rest of us it elevates the spirit and gives that wholesome satisfaction that comes from knowing that liberty is eternal and faith its guardian.

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Today's Talk

By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS

Intimacy: I would say that the most intimate possession in this world is a friend. Next to that, perhaps, might be named a book—the Bible, Shakespeare, or some special volume of an inspiring nature. There are special books that we turn to as we need to be inspired in their beauty and become familiar with all that they represent.

The mere meeting of a valued friend is a benediction in itself. And there are many books that dispel loneliness the moment they are viewed. There is a quality there, in such instances, that represents a multitude of silent friends—books that were once men and women, in our likeness.

I wear two rings, modestly and simply designed, one on each little finger—but not for show. Only because of my deep love for semi-precious stones that exist in beauty, and have once slept tightly in the deep earth. The star in one and the rich color in the other are like two silent poems that I carry about with me, and which inspire me.

The place of one's birth or where the happiest years of one's youth may have been spent continually bring to mind the intimacy of loved ones and of many an inspiring and thrilling experience. What an intimate service memory enacts in our lives! We can live our youth—and still have it, too!

I can understand the intimate love that people have for a garden. Its color and variety of form, its fragrance and its actual personality, as expressed so vividly in every leaf and flower, appeal to one's highest senses. There is no unspoken language in this world so intimate as that of flowers. It is a universal language, yet one must have the secret of its interpretation in one's heart to understand the language.

There are certain books I love so much that I never lose the opportunity to get every interesting edition of it, like the limited ones, the illustrated ones, and those in different languages. Thus does one's intimacy with that book grow, and as it grows I am enriched.

The George Matthew Adams Service

NEWSgrams

In England a bureau was a writing table or desk with drawers. In America it is used to signify any chest of drawers.

PITCHING HORSESHOES

by Billy Rose

A few minutes ago, the postman handed me an oversized envelope and suggested I open it under water because it was ticking. I held it under a faucet, until the flap came loose and was relieved to find it was only a letter from Fred Allen:

Dear Billy,

I have just finished reading your new book, "Wine, Women and Words," and I wonder if you, as a freshman author, realize what you're letting yourself in for.

Years ago when a fellow wrote a book, he withdrew to his musty retreat, with simulated calm, to await the verdict of the literary critics and to cook his ear for the first sounds of the gentle stream that assured him his royalties were starting to trickle in.

But today, the writer who foals a tome is courting disaster. He is at the mercy of his agent, his

publisher and his publisher's publicity staff, and to ballyhoo his work he is forced to lend his name to testimonials, attend literary teas, make personal appearances on radio and television programs, and greet his scant public in sundry book and department store basements.

As the author of "Wine, Women and Words," you will be photographed shaving with a YIPE, the new plastic razor with no blade that goes with the new shaving cream you don't rub in. Subway placards will show you drinking a LICHEE COLA, the new drink made in Chinese vineyards by sanitary coolies who trample the lichees nuts into the cola. Newspaper ads will show you smoking a SWEETIE, the new cigarette with the built-in desert that saves the busy businessman time at lunch, and colored photos in haberdashery windows will picture you wearing the NO-GRAB union suit—the undergarment preferred by our leading leopards.

Besides, to prove you are an eccentric man of letters, you will have to strut Fifth Avenue sporting a

mustard-hued beret, a white duck innershirt and herringbone wedges, leading a butterfly on a silken leash with a male marmoset riding your clavicle.

One morning you will be asked to rise at 6 to appear on that popular radio program, "Breakfast with Flo and Moe," and there you will tell of your boyhood days—how you were so poor that you had no kite to fly, and on windy days, you could only run up and down the street flying your string. You will mention your early inferiority complex—how you were so self-effacing that when you looked into a mirror you saw nobody. And then, just as you're about to get in a plug for your book, Flo and Moe will interrupt to read fifteen or twenty commercials, there will be a burst of organ music, and you will be out in the hall with the best years of your life left over.

Later, you will be invited to participate in another radio tableau called, "Author Meets His Waterloo," and you will continue your life story—how you wrote the first singing commercial, opened nightclubs to help rich people cope with insomnia, and then turned against alcohol when you found Eleanor Holm in water. You will discuss your activities at the World's Fair, and of course deny that when the Aquacade closed you bottled the water and sold it as seltzer to deaf people who couldn't hear the fizzing. About this time, the moderator and two critics on the panel will start a bitter argument about the decline of the adverb in the Bronx, and by the time order is restored, the program will be off the air and you will be stuck with the four ad libs you had up your sleeve for an emergency.

Television will hustle you next, and you will be seen on that exciting new video charade, "Battle of Books." Here, in an attempt to complete your story, you will tell how you decided to become an author when a waiter at Lindy's scribbled on the back of your check. "The essence of living is the power of appreciation, the savoring of thoughts and things." You will then relate a few anecdotes, quote George Bernard Shaw's priceless retort to the chattering vendor, and toss off a few epigrams such as, "Humor

is only a fragrance, a decoration," and "A dead moron takes up as much space as a dead genius."

But as you pick up a copy of "Wine, Women and Words" to let the television audience see the price on the inside cover, the camera will switch to a man demonstrating mothballs, and an announcer will explain that the program is sponsored by Moth-Wick, the perfume mothball that causes your windbreaker to exude an exotic fragrance while it is smothering the moths in the lining.

This, my dear Billy, is a sample of what you can expect for the next few months, and if I were you, I'd buy up all the copies now on the bookstands and burn them. But if you insist on going ahead and becoming an author, let me wish you luck. I read your book last night, and, as the scientist said when he exploded the first atom bomb, I got a big bang out of it. Incidentally, if the Book of the Month Club doesn't accept "Wine, Women and Words," why don't you buy your own month and show them?

Regards,

Fred Allen.

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Irvin Clifton Brant Jr., Weds Miss Vera Weicht

Rev. C. L. Beard
Performs Ceremony

Miss Vera Weicht, Romney, W. Va., daughter of Robert E. Weicht, Harrisburg, Pa., became the bride of Irvin Clifton Brant Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Clifton Brant, Sr., 208 Grand Avenue, Saturday. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. L. Beard in Trinity Methodist Church, which was decorated with fall flowers and ferns.

Miss Arietta Wolford, Romney, was the bride's maid of honor and only attendant and Robert Smith, city, served as Mr. Brant's best man. Miss Mary Brinkman sang, "I Love You Truly" and "Because" and after the service, "The Lord's Prayer." Kenneth Mahoney accompanied her and played the traditional wedding marches.

The bride was attired in a gray suit with which she wore a white feather hat and wine accessories. A corsage of gardenias and small white chrysanthemums completed her costume. Her attendant wore a gray costume with a corsage of white chrysanthemums. Mrs. Brant chose a wine colored dress and hat and black accessories for her son's wedding. With it she wore a corsage of gardenias.

The bridal motif was carried out in the white flowers decorating the home of the bridegroom's parents, where the reception was held, and repeated in the tiered cake adorned



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Kingsley WSCS Is Sponsoring Prayer Week Observance

The "Week of Prayer and Self Denial" is being held in Kingsley Methodist Church this week under the sponsorship of the WSCS. The program which opened last night will conclude with a prayer service and "Sacrificial Meal" Thursday night.

Programs for the week will include a prayer service to be held at 7:30 tonight, as part of the regular monthly WSCS meeting. It will be led by Mrs. L. H. Wood, Spiritual Life leader, and will be at the church following a covered dish supper.

Tomorrow night a "Cottage Prayer" meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. James Reynolds, 517 Hill Top Drive, and will be led by Carl Pardew.

The final meeting of the week will be Thursday night at 7:30 and will be a prayer service at the church, at which time a "Sacrificial Meal" will be presented. The topic will be to study "Deeper symbolism in the thought of bread, that we can grasp fully, until the companion thought of hunger grows disturbing and unendurable."

Further study will be held on the subject that "a Christian exists only as a distributor of that holy bread broken for all the world, makes the whole family of the whole church in the whole world one family, because we share one father, one purpose and one love."

The final program will be presented around a last supper table arranged before a white cross. Besides the junior and senior choirs, with Mrs. Carl Pardew organist, others taking part will be Mrs. Blanche Curry, Mrs. Rhea Bollinger, Mrs. Doris Twigg, Mrs. Betty Calhoun, Mrs. Ruth Britt, Mrs. Ethel Adams, Miss June Henry and Miss Helen Campbell, representing "Pilgrims of the Night."

Mrs. Ethel Zimmerman, Mrs. Betty Edwards, Miss Rosetta Croyle, Miss Mary deLozier, Miss Joann Taylor, Miss Betty Flake, Miss Norma Jean Johnson, Miss Agnes Wotring, Miss Virginia Bennett, Miss Norma Clites, Miss Barbara Denninger and Miss Nancy Hamilton will portray the followers of the Lord.

A self denial offering will be taken at the close of the service. Last night a cottage prayer meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Perry Gross, 27 Weber Street led by Mrs. Thelma Wigal.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Robert Zorn

Joanne McElfresh Becomes Bride Of James R. Zorn

Ceremony Performed
In Baltimore

Miss Joanne Bessie McElfresh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. McElfresh, 4211 Wentworth Road, Baltimore, became the bride of James Robert Zorn, 3008 Oak Hill Avenue, Baltimore, recently in St. Mark's Methodist Church, Baltimore.

Rev. Riggins, pastor, officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Miss Mary Louise McElfresh, cousin of the bride, was maid of honor, and Mrs. John Weise was matron of honor. Miss Harriett Brady was bridesmaid.

Richard Stillinger, Pittsburgh, Pa., served as the couple's best man. Ushers were William Mass, cousin of the bride; Charles Padgill, John C. Weise and Wilbert Long.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a traditional white lace and net gown with a court train. Her veil fell from a Juliet cap and she wore a strand of pearls. She carried a white bouquet topped with an orchid and clusters of white flowers.

The maid of honor and bridesmaid were in ice blue satin with wreaths of flowers in their hair. The matron of honor wore ruby satin with a flower wreath.

Mrs. Zorn is a graduate of Forest Park High School and the Bard, Avon School, Baltimore. Her husband is a graduate of Baltimore Polytechnic Institute and is assistant treasurer of Noxzema Company.

The bride is a granddaughter of

Mrs. Walter Baker, Midland. Mrs. Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Baker attended the wedding.

Nave's Cross Road
Masquerade Held

The older members of the Nave's Cross Road 4-H Girls Club entertained with a Halloween party for the younger members Friday night at the home of Jean McCoy, 456 Williams Street.

Decorations carried out the holiday motif with black and white streamers in the doorways and lamps and mirrors decorated with ghost pictures, skeletons and traditional goblins.

Judging of costumes awarded prizes to Neil Moore as a clown, most original; Patricia Brinkman, Charleen Hornbrook, brides, prettiest; Alice Fisher, Hawaiian girl, most natural; Loretta Wotring, Judith Fisher, bridegroom and bride, typical; Lucille Aaron, colonial girl, old fashioned type; and Donna Ensminger, Dutch girl, smallest one present.

Entertainment featured story telling, various games and group singing. Refreshments were served and little favors awarded to each guest.

Others present were Patricia Fox, Dorothy Street, Ethel Gillum, Patricia Norris, Edith Street, Mrs. John Johnson, Ann Johnson and Mrs. Hugh McCoy.

Helen Fox will be hostess for the meeting November 18.

W. Md. Presbyterian Will Meet Today

The Western Maryland Branch of the Baltimore Presbyterial will hold its fall meeting in First Presbyterian Church today, with the morning session beginning at 11 o'clock and luncheon to be served at 12:30.

The speakers will be Dr. Agnes Gordon Murdoch, M. D., Miss Margaret P. Murdoch, R. N., and Miss Mary Cole Murdoch, evangelist. These three sisters are now residing in Baltimore and returned home on the Gripsholm after 33 years of missionary work in China.

Mrs. Boyd W. Hoster, chairman, will preside and Mrs. C. H. Goshorn, Lonaconing, will have charge of devotions. Mrs. Frederick Haas will welcome the group and discuss the leadership training course which she took at Lafayette College last summer; Mrs. Robert Campbell, Southminster Church, will report on the General Assembly in Seattle and Mrs. Dawn Koelz, Southminster, on the fall Presbyterial in Baltimore. Presidents of each church society will give their reports.

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Elks To Be Host For Masquerade, Open House

Elaborate Party To
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The Social Sessions of B.P.O. Elks No. 63 announce completed arrangements for the elaborate Halloween masquerade and open house party to be held in the club Saturday night, beginning at 9 o'clock.

The party, which will open the Elks fall and winter social season, is only for members and their ladies. The ball room with special dark blue lighting effects is being entirely decorated with six-foot witches, goblins and skeletons and Halloween streamers.

Everyone is asked to be in costume, and prizes will be awarded for various types immediately after the grand march at 11 o'clock, which will be led by Robert B. Walker, exalted ruler.

Music for the occasion will be furnished by the Starlighters. The committee in charge consists of Harry Tracy, John Blough, Clifton Hafer, Roy Whiteman, A. W. Bergeron, assisted by the newly organized Ladies Entertainment Group headed by Mrs. Harry Cole.

The LaVale P-TA Halloween party will be held Saturday night instead of Friday as originally planned. It is open to the entire

community and will be held in the LaVale Fire Hall from 7 until 9:30 o'clock.

Besides the prizes to be awarded for the prettiest, funniest, most original and to the youngest contestant, there also will be a contest for the LaVale school children and a cake walk.

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Scholars believe that the gypsy tribes which have been wandering across Europe since the 15th century are remnants of an ancient tribe from India.

Just Between Us

Be Sure You Want To Work Before Chosing Acting Career

By NANCY MOTTRAM

(Q) "Dear Nancy: For a couple of years now, my ambition has been to study acting. I want to make that my career, but my mother and father are dead set against it. Ever since I've been in high school, I've been in Dramatics Club, and my drama teacher has told me that I have some talent. But when it comes to discussing college with my parents, I'm facing a brick wall. I want to go to a school where I can learn more about acting, and they can't see it my way. Could you give me some advice?"

(A) Acting is a glamorous career but getting to the top is a long, hard pull. The competition is terrific, and success depends on more than just talent. You've got to work hard, and take a lot of disappointments in your stride. Even then, you may not make the grade, because the chances of success in that profession won't be in your favor. Be completely honest with yourself, and be sure that you're willing to take on that struggle before you start a crusade to change your parents' minds. Then, if you're still determined, set one night aside for a really serious talk with them. Once you know all the reasons behind their objection, tell them your ambitions and perhaps you three can work out a compromise.

(Q) "Dear Nancy: This didn't

seem too serious at first, but now I'm worrying about it. I've gone with quite a few boys and the first few dates were always fine. But just as soon as I found out a boy really cared for me, I lost interest in him. It's happened every single time. I'm dating a wonderful fellow now, and we get along perfectly, but I'm afraid I'll do the same thing if he ever tells me how he feels about me. What shall I do?"

(A) It doesn't add to your peace of mind when you worry about a boy when he's going to ask

for another date, or why he hasn't called you for two nights in a row. You're not sure of him, but the instant you know his private thoughts, and that he'll be asking for a date every weekend, the suspense is gone. Some girls prefer to "know"—others like to be kept guessing. But don't worry about this during your high school years. You'll be meeting new and different boys as you grow older and, some day, that won't happen when a certain one comes along.

(Q) "Dear Nancy: Just before I left for college this fall, a friend of mine, who was also going away, gave me a farewell present. It made me feel rather small, because I hadn't thought about it, and didn't give her anything. I've been thinking it over and I don't know what

to do. Should I send her something or just let it go?"

(A) "acking off a gift at this late date would seem to be just an after-thought to her, as it would be. Put a thank-you letter in the mail right away, and at Christmas time you'll have a chance to show your gratitude.

Nancy will answer as many questions as possible in her column. Write her in care of this newspaper. (Copyright, 1948, General Features Corp.)

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Burglary Charges Face Cumberland Men In Nevada

Chief R. E. Flynn of the City Police Department has received information that two local men who escaped twice from the Allegany County Jail only to be recaptured, have been arrested in Las Vegas, Nev., on a burglary charge.

The two former residents were identified as Leonard Mort, and Lewis Mathew Edwards, of Henderson Avenue. Chief Robert P. Malburg, of the Las Vegas police department said the two men were nabbed Wednesday night in the robbery of a Las Vegas garage.

In their car, a 1940 super eight Packard sedan, they found numerous articles which Nevada police believe were stolen in a wave of burglaries across the country.

Men Claim Frame Up
Both of the men refused to make any statement Malburg reported, but Mort did admit that he had been incarcerated in the Maryland penitentiary.

The men told police there that they were innocent, adding that the lot was planted there by Las Vegas police.

Chief Flynn said that many of the articles could have been taken from this area, and added that a thorough investigation of the serial numbers of stolen goods reported here has begun.

A pickup had been issued by the Sheriff's office for Edwards on October 8. The man had been charged by his wife with the non-support of their four children.

Authorities at the Sheriff's office said today that Mort and Lewis had been arrested together on larceny charges previously.

During Sheriff William Harvey's term, the pair was nabbed and jailed on burglary charges and soon after they sawed their way out of the county jail. They were apprehended after a search by local authorities and again jailed.

The pair had been arrested in 1937, the Sheriff's office reported, on robbery and larceny counts. They again escaped from jail and fled to the west coast. While attempting to run a road block, Mort and Edwards were captured to Demings, N. M.

Mort was injured in the shooting at the time of the arrest. After serving a sentence meted out by the Federal Court in New Mexico in Lewisburg, Pa., Penitentiary, the pair was returned here where they were sent to Maryland institutions, county authorities revealed.

Deputy Sheriff Edgar M. Lewis said on the last break from the county jail, they were accompanied by two other men.

Mort and Edwards are being held in the Las Vegas jail until completion of the local investigation.

Five Area Men Join Army In November

As a result of the first draft induction call, five area men will enter the Army through the local recruiting station, according to First Lt. George J. Gocke, officer-in-charge.

Men who passed the pre-induction mental and physical examinations earlier this month are notified when to report to the Cumberland Army office where they receive a physical inspection to determine if any change has occurred since they first received a physical. The draftees will be sworn into the Army at the local station and sent immediately to Camp Pickett, Va., Lt. Gocke said.

Four men from Frostburg Board 30 will be inducted Wednesday, November 3, and one man from Cumberland Board 28 will be inducted Friday, November 5.

The schedule for pre-induction examinations at the Army recruiting office includes six men from Cumberland Board 29 on October 29, three men from Cumberland Board 27 on November 2, six men from Frostburg Board 30 on November 3 and 12 men from Cumberland Board 28 on November 5.

Fund Appeals Board Under Consideration

A committee will meet tomorrow at 7:30 p. m. in the Chamber of Commerce office to consider setting up a Fund Appeals Board similar to the old War Fund Appeals Board, according to Harold W. Smith, executive secretary.

The board would review all appeals for funds and determine if they are necessary on a community-wide basis, excluding churches and other special groups, Smith said.

Twenty-one local groups and organizations have been contacted for an expression of views on establishing the appeals board, Smith said.

Members of the committee are Mayor Thomas S. Post, Edmund S. Burke, Charles Catherman, Jr., J. T. Deibaugh, Thomas P. Conlon, Max Bastian and C. William Baer.

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Civil Service Heads Issue Annual Report

Cumberland's jail and fire stations are in excellent condition, according to a report released yesterday by the Civil Service Commission.

One major complaint, relating to possible traffic blocks at West Side Fire station during shift changes at the Celanese plant, was listed in the report of the inspection by C. Philip Jolley, chairman; H. Clifford Spiker and Dr. Burnest C. Upchurch.

Minor suggestions for equipment and repairs at East Side and Central stations were also listed.

Morgan Fined Heavily On Driving Charges

Clifton DeSales Morgan was found guilty of drunken and reckless driving and fined \$112.90 by Magistrate Frank A. Perdew yesterday in Trial Magistrate's Court.

The Crestaplan resident had been arrested by city police following an accident on Greene Street late Friday night. The fines administered by Perdew were \$101.45 on the drunken driving charge and \$11.45 on the other count.

According to Officer John Powers, the car driven by Morgan, traveling east on Greene Street, struck the front end of a machine operated by Donald M. Miller, of 127 Washington Street, Frostburg.

An improved electrical precipitation apparatus for cleaning dust, pollen grains and other particles out of the air is now available. The air is passed through a honeycomb of metallic conduits, the walls of which are kept charged with particle-pulling static.

Council To Attend Stadium Meeting

The Mayor and Council voted yesterday to be represented at a public meeting sponsored by the Cumberland Junior Association of Commerce in the interest of its campaign to obtain a stadium or recreation park for the city.

The meeting, to be held at 8 p. m. November 9 in the City Hall Auditorium, will be for the purpose of explaining the project and hearing the suggestions of interested groups and individuals.

Request for city action was made in a letter from Kenneth F. Gerard, chairman of the Jaycee Stadium Committee.

Sewer Request Forwarded
A request by the city for \$20,000 in federal aid for preparing plans and specifications for sewage treatment and a disposal plant, has been forwarded to the U. S. Public Health Service of the Federal Security Agency.

The Water Pollution Control Commission, in a letter signed by Paul W. McKee, executive secretary, informed Mayor Thomas S. Post of the action.

The city, asked for the money after being advised the money was available for the purpose "with no strings attached." The commission said the city would be informed immediately when the federal agency acted.

Mayor Post in a proclamation called for observance of October 27 as "Navy Day." The Mayor's proclamation asked that flags be displayed.

Dr. James J. Johnson, Jr., 206 Washington Street, has asked the city for a reimbursement for repair costs to his car which was allegedly

damaged when it struck a protruding cast iron pipe protruding on McKinley Avenue.

Holds City Responsible
Dr. Johnson, in a letter to the Mayor and Council, said his son was driving the car when the mishap occurred August 10 and large ruts in the road caused the vehicle to lurch and strike the protruding main. The frame was twisted, and repaired, but declared unsafe and he was forced to buy a new car. He said he held the city responsible and asked that cost of repairs be paid.

City Attorney Thomas B. Finan said that after a talk with Street Superintendent Martin M. Corrigan, he did not believe the city liable. Corrigan told him, Finan said, that the main was not "protruding that far" and that if a person had "been going at a reasonable rate of speed, he would not have hit it."

The letter was referred to Street

Commissioner Edgar Reynolds for further study.

Mrs. Edward J. Weber, Greenway Avenue, asked for a city ruling on whether an alley leading from the rear of her property is a public passageway. She claimed in a letter to the council that trucks of A. L. Brown blocked the alley and asked if it could be compelled to discontinue its use for that purpose.

The request was referred to Commissioner Reynolds, City Engineer Ralph L. Rizer and Finan.

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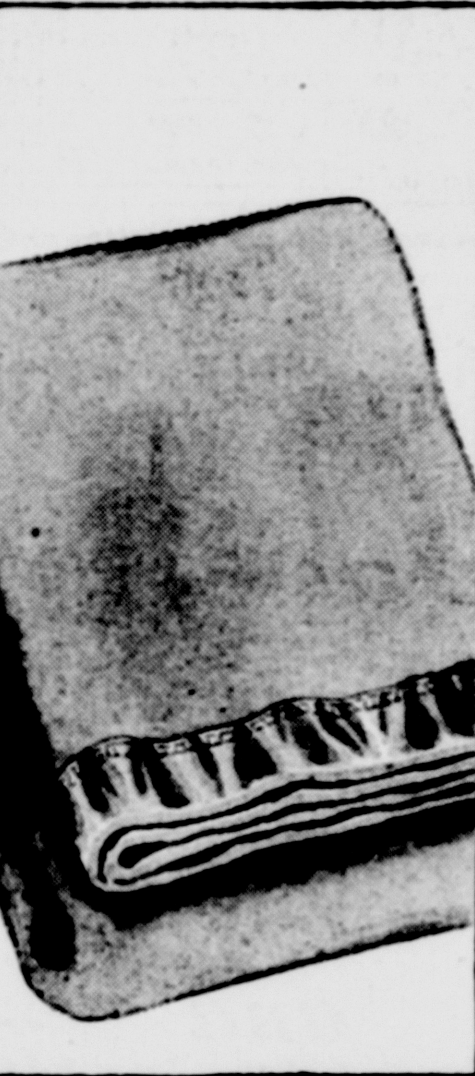
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REG. 8.49
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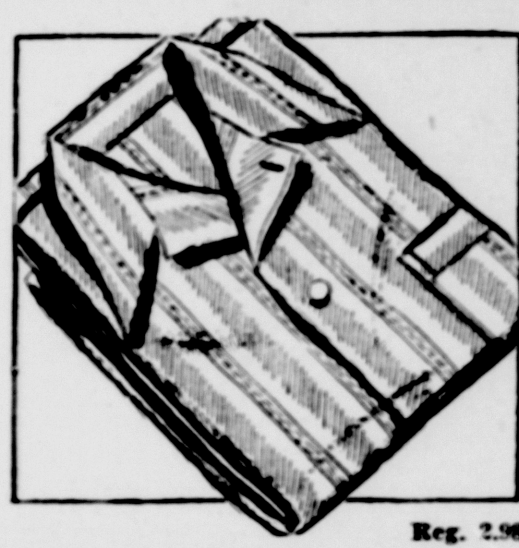


SALE! MEN'S 11.50 ALL WOOL SLACKS 8.44
Price slashed for this sale only! New wool worsted. Carefully tailored with deep-pleated fronts, zippers. 29 to 40 waist.

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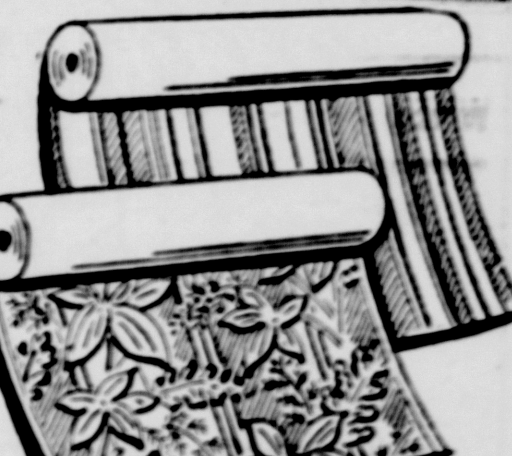
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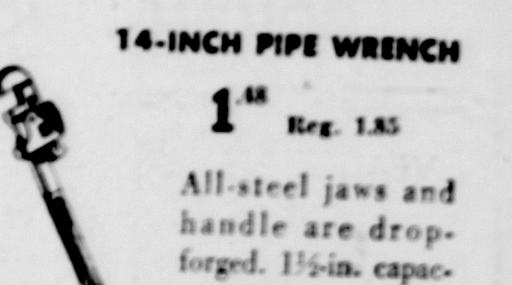
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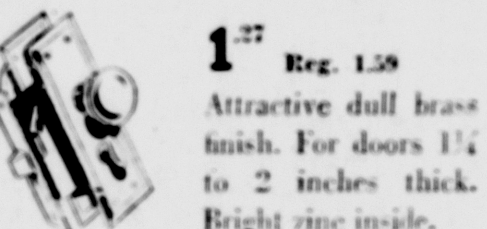
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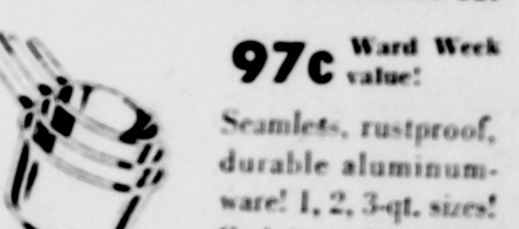
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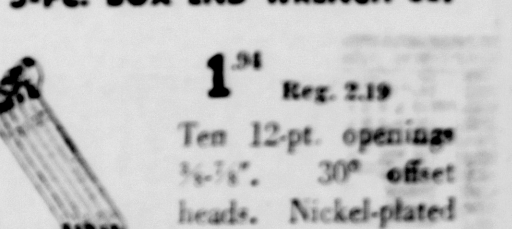
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MIRROR Of Your MIND

By LAWRENCE GOULD
Consulting Psychologist



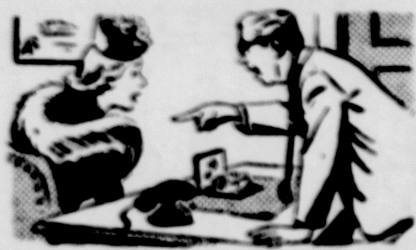
Is self-esteem more important than love?

Answer: Yes. If you do not think well of yourself, you can neither love another person nor enjoy being loved by him. You will be too busy worrying over your own shortcomings to be interested in anything about other people except their opinion of you, and you'll judge that only by your own fears or yearnings. If you don't feel you deserve to be loved, you will never feel sure anybody loves you, no matter what reassurance he or she may give you, and the doubts you cannot conquer will poison the love with jealousy and fear.



Can an odor be exactly described?

Answer: Most of us try to describe an odor by comparing it with another, but P. H. Munkelt in Refrigeration Engineer claims there is a system by which any odor can be scientifically analyzed. He quotes physiologists who maintain that the basic characteristics of all odors can be reduced to four: floral smell, burnt smell, sour smell, and goat smell, and that by a system in which each of these is divided into eight grades of intensity, any known smell can be represented. But this takes both natural ability and training.



Is psychosomatic illness "your own fault"?

Answer: Certainly not. If a doctor tells you that it is your mental conflicts that have caused an illness—let's say, asthma—that does not mean either that you are not really ill or that you could "snap out of it" and get well if you wished to. Your illness is as real as a broken leg, and you can't cure yourself by "making up your mind to get well" because it springs from the part of your mind which you cannot get at. Only when someone else helps you are what you can't see without a "mental mirror" can your conflict be solved.

Man Pleads Guilty After Striking Police Cruiser

Forrest G. Snider, 8 Port Hill Avenue, pleaded guilty to reckless driving yesterday in Trial Magistrate Court after the truck which he was driving struck a state police cruiser at the B and O viaduct on North Centre Street Saturday afternoon.

He was fined \$10.75. He told First Sgt. W. E. O'Hara, who made the arrest, that he was unable to stop the truck he was operating when the cruiser driven by Trooper Milton G. Hart came to a stop in front of him.

In other traffic cases in Trial Magistrate Court, Earl T. Pryor, of LaVale, was fined \$2.45 for reckless driving on Route 53. He was arrested by Trooper G. M. Rotruck.

Donald D. O'Moore, of Pittsburgh, forfeited \$11.45 bond for operation without a license. He was arrested on Route 40 six miles east of here by Trooper Rotruck.

Charged with operating a taxicab without a special chauffeur's license, Lee Irving Seeders, of 535 North Centre Street, forfeited \$11.45 bond. He was apprehended Saturday by First Sgt. O'Hara.

Earl C. Robertson, of 309 Schley Street, pleaded guilty to failing to observe a stop sign on Route 53 yesterday and was fined \$1.75.

A Meyersdale man, Donald C. Greig, forfeited \$6.45 bond posted on a reckless driving charge. Trooper Rotruck made both arrests.

Local Men Serve in Kobe, Japan

Pvt. Robert L. Robinson, son of Mrs. Ethel Robinson, 419 Henderson Avenue, and First Sgt. Walter D. Pike, husband of Mrs. Marie Pike, Essex, are serving with ordnance groups in Kobe, Japan.

James Franklin Shanholtz, seaman apprentice, USN, son of Mrs. Dora Shanholtz, Valley Road, is serving aboard the destroyer USS Ernest G. Small on a six-month cruise in the Mediterranean.

Recruit John P. Winn, son of Mrs. Cora Walsh, Mt. Savage, is taking basic training at the Special Training Unit at Fort Bragg, N. C.

Ray Thomas Darr, seaman apprentice, USN, son of Augustus T. Darr, Route 3, Keyser, W. Va., is serving aboard the destroyer USS O'Hare, with the Sixth Task Fleet in the Mediterranean.

Ronald C. Friend, commissaryman, third class, USN, son of Mrs. Harry Friend, 23 Water Street, Oakland, is serving aboard the destroyer USS Glennon in the Mediterranean.

Earl Saville, chief boatswain's mate, USN, Higginsville, W. Va., is serving on the light cruiser USS Little Rock in the Mediterranean.

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LaSalle Principal Assumes Duties

Brother Godfrey John assumed his duties as principal of LaSalle High School yesterday after coming to Cumberland Saturday. He arrived in time to attend a joint farewell-welcome party tendered by members of the faculty for his predecessor, Brother E. Clement, and himself at the Hanover Street residence of the Christian Brothers. Brother Clement left for Washington late Saturday afternoon to take over his new duties as head of St. John's College, a military school for boys.

Brother John, who conferred over the weekend with leaders of the LaSalle Mothers Club, Men of LaSalle Club and others interested in the welfare of the school, was introduced to the student body this morning. Brother John is a native of Scranton, Pa., and a graduate of St. Thomas High in that city. He earned his bachelor and master's degrees at Catholic University. He received his habit as a member of the Brothers of the Christian Schools in 1928 after starting his studies at Amundale, Md., in 1925.

Brother John's special subjects as an instructor have been mathematics and physics, but he has also had considerable experience as an administrator. He has taught at West Catholic High, Philadelphia; St. John's College, Washington; LaSalle College and LaSalle Central High, Philadelphia, and St. John's School, Orange, N. J. He was principal at LaSalle Central in 1946-47 and principal at St. John's in Orange before coming to Cumberland.

The new LaSalle principal served as moderator of the LaSalle Mothers' Club and was also moderator of the first Men of LaSalle Club at LaSalle College.

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Handbill, Picket Proposal Tabled By Council Again

The Mayor and Council yesterday again tabled the Progressive Party demand that the city's anti-picketing and handbill ordinances be repealed. The party failed to press its case. The proposal will not be taken up until November 8 at the request of two local labor groups.

In letters to the Mayor and Council, the Allegheny Trades Council, C. E. Stutzman, president, and Local 1874, Textile Workers Union of America, Playford Aldridge, president, requested the postponement because union officers will be unable to attend council meetings until the November date.

Martin, Aveset Busy
Mayor Thomas S. Post received a telegram from James Stewart Martin, chairman of the Progressive Party in Maryland, in which he said that he and I. Duke Aveset, legal advisor for the party, would be unable to attend the meeting because of an "important civil liberties case in Baltimore."

The city's answer to the Progressive demand was to have been made yesterday after a postponement from last week to enable a study of the legal aspects of the case.

The Progressive Party, which had said it would take the case to a higher court, told the council at last week's meeting it would advise the local committee to withhold any court action until after the meeting today.

Appoints Committee
Mayor Thomas S. Post appointed Street Commissioner Edgar Reynolds chairman of the Christmas decoration committee for the city display at Riverside Park. Other committee members are City Engineer Ralph L. Rizer, City Auditor Arthur B. Gibson, Street Superintendent Martin M. Corrigan, Chief of Police R. Emmett Flynn, Fire Chief John E. Brennan, Smoke Engineer George M. Hitchcock, City Clerk Wallace G. Ulery, William Teubner and Mrs. Marguerite E. Findlay, secretary of the Park board.

Two refunds totaling \$37 were authorized for Robert L. Davis for

cancelled sewer connection and building permits on Central Avenue. The city voted to contribute \$100 to the Jewish Appeal Fund campaign, an increase of \$50 over last year.

Water consumption was reported at 83,644,000 gallons as compared to 81,880,000 last year with a daily average of 11,949,000. The crest at Lake Gordon is one foot, three inches below the spillway and at Lake Koon, 11 feet, 5 inches below.

Two Firms File Damage Suits in Court

Damage suits filed in Circuit Court yesterday include one by Oliver Lepley for his own use and the use of the Emmco Insurance Company against Carl H. Farnel for \$500 damages incurred in a car crash May 15 on Route 40 near the Lindernville intersection.

Dun and Bradstreet, Inc., also filed against Lewis Yankelevitz and Margaret Kornblatt, trading as United Accessories, for \$400 allegedly due for services rendered.

Cumberland Joins Maryland League Of Municipalities

A proposal to join the reorganized Maryland League of Municipalities was approved yesterday by the Mayor and Council and payment of \$505 for the first year's dues was authorized.

Mayor Thomas S. Post is second vice-president of the league. Joseph M. Ray, executive director, said that a general membership meeting would probably be held in January. The city has had the membership proposed under consideration for a number of weeks and action today is expected to afford many advantages which have previously been denied Cumberland.

The council acknowledged receipt of an invitation to hear Paul D.

Bagwell, president of the National Junior Chamber of Commerce, who will speak at Central YMCA tomorrow at 12-15 p. m.

Fort Washington Chapter, No. 2, Disabled American Veterans, was granted permission to sell forget-me-nots on city streets November 8-12. The request was made by John E. Huffman, commander.

Received and filed was a request from Horace P. Whitworth, Jr., chairman of the Allegheny county delegation to the General Assembly, asking that the city submit contemplated legislation to the delegation in January, 1949 instead of at the end of the session. Early submission, Whitworth said in a letter, will enable the delegation to serve more efficiently.

A report of the city engineer for the sewer or otherwise improving Wempe Drive from 150 feet north of First Street to the intersection with Second Street was ordered filed at the Court House. Cost of the work was \$4,121.60. Council also accepted the report for improving of Second Street from its

intersection with Homer Street extended and its intersection with Wempe Drive. Cost was reported as \$4,121.60.

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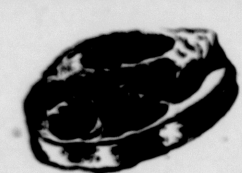
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Ingram Urges Pro Loops To Stop War Or Go Broke

Common Draft Is Favored By Leader Of A-A

Declares Salaries Are All Out Of Line Now

By PAT ROBINSON

International News Service Sports Writer

NEW YORK, Oct. 25. (INS)—Admiral Jonas Ingram, head of the All-America Football Conference, said today the two major professional football leagues either must get together soon or they'll both go broke.

"What we and the National Football League need most at the moment," said Ingram, "is a common draft. Without it we'll all be sunk."

"I can assure you that the All-America football alliance will have a full quota of teams in the field next season."

"Some towns can't support three teams. It is evident that Chicago can't. New York can because Brooklyn is in a class by itself as it is in baseball."

Players Get All Gravy

"The two leagues must get together. As it is now, the players are getting all the gravy. Of course, I'm for the player getting whatever he is worth. That is to say, whatever he can get for his services. But it is evident that salaries are all out of line now."

"A common draft would cut salaries to a legitimate level and give the owners as well as the players a chance to make a little something."

"No body knows but the NFL insists on war, it may be disastrous for everybody. Certainly we intend to stick."

"But we are ready to talk peace at any time. We'll get together with the rival league any time they say the word. In fact, we've already made it clear that we want peace."

"Not throat-cutting. It's up to them."

The AAF and the NFL have been in a bitter war for patronage. The AAF believes there is room for two major pro leagues. The NFL in the field for 25 years, has insisted there will be no compromise and has declared for a battle to the finish.

Offered Outlandish Sums

With no common draft, both sides have been offering outlandish sums to lull All-America stars, and boys who normally could expect to make only \$2,500 in the pro ranks have been getting three and four times that amount.

Terp Player Suffers Fractured Cheekbone

COLLEGE PARK, Md., Oct. 25. (P)—Francis (Scoop) Evans, first string Maryland end, underwent an operation for a fractured cheekbone today and may be out of action for the rest of the season.

Evans broke the bone during the first five minutes of play in Saturday's contest with George Washington.

Coach Jim Tatum is still well-fortified with Hank. He has Elmer Wingo, Stan Karnash, Fred Davis and Pete Augsberger set to go against Miami (Fla.) under the lights at Miami Friday.

Chicago Blackhawks Swap With Detroit

CHICAGO, Oct. 25. (INS)—The Chicago Blackhawks, cellar entry in the National Hockey League today, traded forward George Goss and Bud Poole for three Detroit Red Wings performers.

Coming to Chicago from Detroit are defenseman Doug McCaig, center Armand (Bep) Guidolin and winger Jim Conacher. The latter is no relation to the Hawks' two Conacher brothers, Manager Charlie and forward Roy.

The Hawks now have acquired ten big league players by trade or purchase in the past year.

Belstian Scores Seventh Victory At Lincoln

LINCOLN, R. I., Oct. 25. (P)—O. D. Shanks' Belstian splashed through five furlongs in his seventh victory in 13 starts this season as he won the \$2,000 Jamestown Purse before 4,000 rain-soaked customers at Lincoln Downs today.

Fifth favorite to win, Belstian paid \$4.80, \$3.00 and \$2.40. His time on the sloppy track was 1:01 1-5. Palmetto Stable's Post War Style paid \$4.40 and \$3.00 to place. F. H. Wendell's Ariel Son returned \$4.00 for show.

The double paid \$12.20 with 1,056 tickets sold combining H. M. Simpson's Saint Patrick and Charles Skinner's Kapok.

Cage Coach Named

ASHLAND, Va., Oct. 25. (P)—John Dowd (Jack) Sanford today was named varsity basketball coach for the 1948-1949 season at Randolph-Macon College.

Sanford recently completed a season as first baseman with the Los Angeles Angels in the Pacific Coast League. He has been coaching the Randolph-Macon College "B" football team this fall.

SPORT SLANTS

Anglers' Fees May Soar

Death Takes AHS Cage Ace

Bruce Stays In Spotlight

Basketball Limit Is Set

By C. V. BURNS

Take note ye Maryland nimrods who annually purchase non-resident hunting licenses in the Keystone State.

In the 1949 Legislature hears the advice of Pennsylvania's organized sportsmen cost of non-resident hunting licenses will be upped from \$15 to \$25.

And the cost of resident game licenses will be increased \$1.50 (from \$2.15 to \$3.65) next year.

The increases were recommended the other day by the Pennsylvania Federation of Sportsmen's Clubs in Harrisburg after Game Commission Director Frye told the delegates the board activities would have to be curtailed sharply unless license fees were boosted. Costs, he pointed out, are now \$750,000 above the commission's annual revenue (\$2,450,000).

Inability to agree over the amount of increase was all that kept the 1947 legislature from passing a game license boost. Since then the commission has had to dip into its wartime surplus to make up the deficit. So a license hike is virtually inevitable.

Sportsmen figure it is wiser to pay more to hunt than have less to hunt.

Maryland and West Virginia, like Pennsylvania, now charge non-residents \$15 for hunting licenses, and it wouldn't be a surprise to see the Old Line and Mountain states fall in line with the Keystone State if the fees are hiked in 1949.

Pennsylvania's small game season gets under way Saturday and the Game Commission has served notice that law violators afield will be dealt with more severely than ever this fall.

It has been made plain that law-breakers no longer will get off with mere payment of fines and costs. Henceforth, violators will risk the loss of licenses as well as cash penalties.

The commission has the legal right to deny offenders the privilege of hunting and it means to take full use of the authority.

The old saying that you can't keep a good man down applies to Earl "Lefty" Bruce, Allegheny High School's three sports star.

Last spring he was Maryland's sprint champion, entering nine events in five different meets and winning all of them. He won the 100 yards dash four times and romped home first on five occasions in the quarter mile.

Earl was anchor man on the AHS 880 relay team that cracked the state record in 1:35.3, the fastest time set by an Allegheny quartet in 20 years.

In 1947 he stepped off the century in 10 flat in the city meet. Bruce figured in 13 games with the AHS baseball team last spring and won the city batting title with an average of .463. And he covered as much ground as a circus tent while playing the outfield.

Now he's going great guns as fullback of Allegheny's undefeated football team and is out in front in the city scoring race with 13 touchdowns and 78 points in six games.

That lad's simply terrific.

One of the most important changes in the setup of the South Atlantic Association of the AAU for the coming year was made at the annual meeting in Baltimore when Harry Stark was elected chairman of the registration committee.

Stark was chairman during the first year we served as boxing commissioner here and he proved to be the most co-operative man in the entire AAU setup.

The post of registration chairman is the most important among the AAU officials and Stark belongs there because he has plenty on the ball.

Harry last served under Dr. S. A. Tumminello, a brilliant executive, who resigned the presidency last year.

John McGraw was interested in "Lefty" Grove back in the 1920s when Jack Dunn placed a \$100,000 price tag on the Baltimore Orioles' ace pitcher.

Stark would have the Orioles' ace pitcher because he watched him walk eight Kansas City batters in a Little World Series game.

That's the story told by Jack Bentley, a teammate of Grove's. Instead McGraw purchased Bentley for \$65,000 and three players.

Bentley states he told McGraw he purchased the wrong pitcher when he reported to the Giants.

Jack and "Lefty" were on the same Baltimore team that scored 27 consecutive wins in 1921, a record never equaled. In the same year Bentley hung up an International League batting record that still stands, 246 hits for 397 bases and a .414 average.

In six seasons with the Orioles, Bentley, a southpaw, too, won 64 games and lost 11 and in his first year with the Giants he won 13, lost 7 and batted .427.

Jack, whose home is at Sandy Spring, Md., will be remembered for his 1921 record.

League Plans Feed

The Interstate Baseball League will hold its annual post-season feed on Sunday, October 31 at 2 p. m. in the Odd Fellows Hall, Virginia Avenue, it was announced last night by Robert Whip, secretary.

County Soccer Teams Play For Class Honors

WMI Title Is Also At Stake This Week

Four important games will ring down the curtain on the W.M.I. Soccer League race this week.

The race for the league championship between Central High of Lonaconing and Bruce of Westernport will be determined as will Allegheny county's standard bearers in three divisions of the annual state tournament.

Regardless of where Beall finishes in the league the Westernport school is eligible to represent the county in the Class "A" tournament if it cares to compete.

In addition to fighting it out for the league crown Bruce and Central also are engaged in a scrap for county Class "C" school honors.

Bruce holds a 1-0 decision over Coney and another win would advance the Westernport team to the state tourney even though Central would finish in first place in the league. The second game of this series is set for Friday.

The battle for county Class "D" honors involves Barton and Flintstone which battled to a 2-2 tie in their series opener. The team winning the second game qualifies for the inter-county games which get under way next week.

League games on tap today bring together Bruce and Beall at Frostburg. These teams played a scoreless tie. A victory will move the Westernport eleven into first place and the game will deadlock Central and Bruce for the leadership.

A Beall win would delay final settlement of the race until Friday when Central plays at Westernport and then there is still a possibility of the race ending in a tie.

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BALTIMORE COUNCIL OUTLAW "SCALPING" OF GRID TICKETS

BALTIMORE, Oct. 25. (P)—The City Council passed an ordinance tonight outlawing the "scalping" of football tickets.

William J. Muth, vice president of the council, said the ordinance was drawn up because "residents of Baltimore are being deprived of tickets to the Navy-Notre Dame football game here Saturday."

Muth said some 4,000 tickets are reported to be in the hands of ticket brokers here. He said that if "they get what they are asking they will realize \$100,000 on the deal."

Under the ordinance, persons selling a ticket for a football game at more than its face value would be liable to a fine of from \$5 to \$500 for each offense.

The ordinance was introduced by Muth and 11 other councilmen. It would take effect the moment Mayor Thomas D'Alesandro signed it.

Muth said he had been assured by the mayor that he would sign it tomorrow morning if it is found to be in proper legal form.

After the council meeting, a spokesman for a ticket broker, who asked that his name not be used, said that if the ordinance is signed, his agency would lose "several thousand dollars."

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Doug "Floggie" White, 133, Johnson A.C. Pittsburgh, won 2-1 decision over Jim Folk, 134, Royale A.C., in five-round feature bout.

White Wins Every Round

Although White won via a split decision, he was entitled to a verdict as he took every one of the five rounds with a clever defense that made Folk miss repeatedly and look bad. It was Folk's hardest fight here and he was hit more often and harder than in any one of his previous ten engagements.

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Marine Captain Ties 1947 Titleholder In Quantico Rifle Shoot

QUANTICO, Va., Oct. 25. (INS)—A Marine Corps captain and the 1947 titleholder were tied for top honors today in the initial battle for the 1948 pistol shooting championship.

Shooting 878 out of possible 900 scores to lead all 24 pistol experts were Huelet Benner, last year's champ, and Capt. Thurman Berrier of Marine Corps Headquarters in Washington.

Runners-up in the opening day of the National Rifle Association national championship matches were Harry Reeves of Detroit, Mich., policeman, with a score of 873, and Marine Lt. Col. Walter Walsh, of Arlington, Va., with 872.

Firing today was with 22 caliber weapons. Tuesday and Wednesday the contestants will use .38 and .45 caliber guns.

Tuesday, 28 rifle experts begin their two-day battle for national and international honors.

These winners will be included in a 20-man rifle team which will compete in England and Canada for the International Dewar Team matches.

Women Of Moose Win

The Loyal Order of Moose women's shuffleboard team won three games from the VFW last night by the score of 115 to 71 points.

Mrs. Goldie Minnieks headed the winners with 26 points and Mrs. Bujac posted an 18 for the losers.

Brown, Deetz Goss Chalk Up Knockout Wins

Bey Stops Russ Bean, 427 See D.A.C. Show

Jim Folk's nine-bout winning streak in Cumberland came to an end last night when the Meyersdale, Pa., lightweight ace, representing the Royale Athletic Club of this city, received a lacing from a two-fisted, hard-hitting negro lad named Doug "Floggie" White, of the Johnson Athletic Club, Pittsburgh, in a rousing five-round match which featured the Diamond Athletic Club's initial show of the 1948-49 season at the State Armory.

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HOLLYWOOD

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It is comedies and more comedies at every studio, with the urge to laugh superseding all else.

David has chosen "The Lion Tamer's Husband" for venture into the laugh realm.

LOUELLA PARSONS

I've often wondered why someone didn't make a picture about Da Vinci's dramatic painting, "The Last Supper," probably the most famous canvas in the world. Now comes word from Milan that Charles Riesen and his partner, Franklin Damore, are going to do just that.

Even more interesting is the fact that the original painting, now at Santa Maria Della Grazie, will be a big part of their plan.

The story, adapted by Riesen from the novel of the Emile Russell novel, will concern both the present time and the late 14th century, with the Da Vinci masterpiece piece the motivating theme of the action. Riesen will shoot the picture at the Iset Studios in Milan, with English speaking Italian actors.

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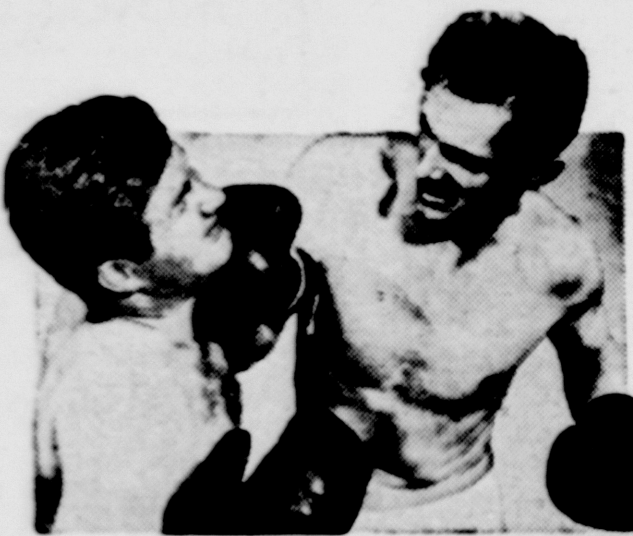
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Oakland To Mark Centennial Event Next Aug. 7-13

Rathbun Appoints Committee Heads

OAKLAND—Groundwork for next year's centennial celebration for the city of Oakland was planned at the initial meeting of the centennial committee this week. The dates for the centennial were set for August 7 to 13, and several of the days were definitely designated, according to F. E. Rathbun, general chairman. Several committees were appointed and additional ones are to be named as required, he said.

The theme of the centennial will be "An appreciation of the present through the recognition of the past."

Assistance of all kinds was offered by the Baltimore and Ohio railroad through a letter recently, regarding any historical facts.

Lawrence M. Fraley advised the committee that Rep. J. Glenn Beall believed the Postoffice department would print a centennial stamp for Oakland; and that M. W. Grove, district passenger agent for the B. and O., would do all he could for the committee in arranging an excursion and the loan of old-time equipment.

Among the days selected were Railroad Day, Farmers' Day, Firemen's Day, Church Day, Homecoming and Play Day, Conservation Day and others.

Another meeting of the general committee was called for November 12, at which time chairmen of various committees are to be present.

Reservoir Installed At Swallow Falls

OAKLAND — Joseph F. Kaylor, state director of the department of forestry, H. C. Bucknam, state forester, and William Parr, district forester, were in Garrett County last week inspecting conditions at the state forests.

Kaylor announced that there had just been completed at Swallow Falls a 10,000 gallon reservoir, with a deep well pump attached, to furnish drinking water for fountains in the picnic area next summer.

A number of improvements are being planned to give accommodations to the increased number of people who were taking advantage of the state parks. Lifeguards which were on duty this year, would be continued next year, it was announced. Mr. Bucknam said that the guards had saved three lives this summer, two at Herrington Manor and one at Swallow Falls.

Garrett AAUW To Hear Talk On Porcelain

OAKLAND—The Garrett Branch of the American Association of University Women has arranged a special meeting to hear a talk by Miss Mary F. Murdock, Kingwood, W. Va., and St. Petersburg, Fla., on the "Romance of Porcelain."

It will be held next Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Lutheran church Sunday School room and will be open to any interested persons.

Miss Murdock was a former instructor in applied art at Carnegie Institute of Technology, Pittsburgh, and has studied pottery in a number of foreign countries including Italy.

Dr. Gardner To Talk On Mental Hygiene

OAKLAND — Mrs. William R. Brown, public health chairman of the Oakland Civic club, has arranged for Dr. Robert E. Gardner, Springfield State Hospital, Skyline, to speak at a luncheon to be held Tuesday at 1 o'clock at the William-James hotel. His topic will be "Some Phases of Mental Hygiene."

The committee assisting Mrs. Brown includes Mrs. J. D. Darby, Mrs. Angela Smart, Miss Grace Jones, Mrs. John Hart and Mrs. Irvin Field.

Oakland Merchants To Plan Shopping Drive

OAKLAND—Merchants of Oakland will meet November 4 at the city council chamber, to discuss plans for the second annual Christmas shopping campaign. W. W. Davis, Chamber of Commerce secretary, said.

Davis read a letter from Rep. J. Glenn Beall who stated that in all probability the Freedom Train would be in Oakland during the centennial celebration next year. He said he had been in touch with the Heritage Foundation and that he felt sure necessary arrangements could be made.

Inspect National Guard

OAKLAND—Three Army officers were in Oakland Wednesday night to conduct the federal inspection of Company C, 121st Engineers, Maryland National Guard. They were Major Frank E. Garden, Major Grant B. Hankins and Capt. John H. Hocheder.

An official report of the proceedings will be announced later although it was reported the officers found the unit to be in good condition.

Infants Baptized

FROSTBURG — At the morning service Sunday, Rev. Harold R. Stoudt, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, baptized the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Alvin Kling. The child was named Hollace Vivian. Mrs. Kling is the former Miss Dorothy Lloyd.

Rev. Stoudt also baptized the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. William Grimm, East Main Street. The child was named William Douglas. Mrs. Grimm is the former Miss Mary Louise Beecher, Cumberland.



TWINS ALMOST FOUR—Donald Wayne and Ronald Wayne McKenzie, twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence McKenzie, will celebrate their fourth birthday Friday at their home in Guntersville. Mr. and Mrs. McKenzie are the parents of four other children, Karl McKenzie, 12, Leona McKenzie, 9, Lawrence McKenzie, Jr., 8, and Maxeen McKenzie, 6. The twins' grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James H. McKenzie, Guntersville, and the late Mr. and Mrs. James T. Gomer, Sand Patch, Pa.

TRI-STATE DEATHS

CHAPMAN FUNERAL

FROSTBURG — A service for James W. Chapman, 83, former resident of Midlothian, who died Sunday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ransom Nave, 104 West Main Street, will be held tomorrow at 2:30 p. m. at the Hafer Funeral Home, East Main Street, with Rev. John Cameron Taylor, pastor of First Presbyterian Church, officiating. A burial service will be held in Allegheny Cemetery by officers of Mountain Lodge No. 99, A. F. and A. M.

MRS. HAZEL PLUMMER

FROSTBURG—Mrs. Hazel Plummer, 56, widow of Robert Plummer, 84 Bowers Street, died Sunday at Miners' Hospital, where she had been a patient for three days.

A daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Streets, she was a native and life time resident of this city.

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Nellie Spaulding, and three sons, Ronald, Gilbert and Harold Plummer, Frostburg. She had two grandchildren. She also leaves two sisters, Mrs. Charles Bittner, Frostburg and Mrs. Sadie Pegg, Uniontown, Pa.

The body is at the Hafer Funeral Home, this city.

MRS. CARRIE K. WALTERS

OCEAN—Mrs. Carrie Kaefler Walters, 84, widow of George B. Walters, died Sunday at Springfield State Sanitarium. She was formerly of Ocean.

She is the last member of her immediate family. She is survived by several nieces and nephews. A number of improvements are being planned to give accommodations to the increased number of people who were taking advantage of the state parks. Lifeguards which were on duty this year, would be continued next year, it was announced. Mr. Bucknam said that the guards had saved three lives this summer, two at Herrington Manor and one at Swallow Falls.

GEORGE V. ARNOLD

BURKITTVILLE, Md. — (AP) — Funeral services will be held tomorrow for George Valentine Arnold, 78, former Frederick county commissioner and prominent farmer, who died Sunday. He is survived by his widow and two sons.

ROBERT PUFER RITES

KEYSER—A funeral service for Robert Arnold Pifer, who died in Charleston, S. C., Thursday, was held at the home of his father, W. C. Pifer, 12 Sharp Street, Sunday at 2:30 p. m. Rev. John C. B. McLaughlin, pastor of First Presbyterian Church, officiated. Interment was in Queens Point Cemetery.

Palbearers were Graham Pifer, Brown Kookan, Raymond Grayson, James Briley, Mark Wenner and Estel A. Miers.

NEWTON GARLAND RITES

KEYSER—Funeral rites for Newton Brown Garland, who died in Potomac Valley Hospital Wednesday, were conducted Saturday at 2 p. m. at Trinity Methodist Church, Port Ashby. Rev. Earl Wolford officiated. He was assisted by Rev. H. S. Myerly, pastor of Grace Methodist Church, Keyser, and Rev. J. H. Lutzsch, Port Ashby. Interment was in the Fort Ashby Cemetery.

Palbearers were N. B. Hinkle, G. W. Hinkle, H. P. Hinkle, Jacob Hinkle, G. R. Garland and William Garland.

MRS. FRIEND RITES

KEYSER—A funeral service for Mrs. Virginia Friend, wife of W. F. Friend, who died Friday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Lutzsch, 279 South Main Street, was held yesterday morning at 10 o'clock. Rev. John C. B. McLaughlin, pastor of First Presbyterian Church, officiated. Interment was in Queens Point Cemetery.

Palbearers were Lonnie Dayton, Paul Kiser, Frank Rotruck, S. E. Hanna, E. T. Kessel and E. M. Slaughter.

Miss Rachel Gettings Becomes Bride

OAKLAND — Mrs. Josephine Wickham, Grafton, W. Va., has announced the marriage of her daughter, Miss Rachel Gettings, Oakland, to Ernest R. Wolfe, also of Oakland, October 15 at the home of Rev. H. O. Teagarden in Mt. Lake Park.

The bride had as her only attendant Mrs. May DeWitt, sister of the bridegroom. The bride is employed at the Hinebaugh restaurant, Wolfe, a graduate of Oakland High School, is employed by the State Roads Commission. He is a veteran of World War II.

The couple will reside in Oakland with the bridegroom's mother Mrs. Ernest Wolfe, Sr., Reese Street.

Service Plaque To Be Dedicated

MT. SAVAGE—A service plaque containing the names of Mt. Savage dead from three wars, the Civil War and World Wars I and II, will be dedicated Sunday at 2 p. m. in the Memorial Center.

Matthew Mullaney, attorney, former resident of Mt. Savage, will be the main speaker. Other talks will be given by James P. Crump and Lester B. Reed. Three ministers will take part in the ceremonies and music will be furnished by the Junior Order band.

Colin Bowers, William Farrell and Peter Hughes comprise the arrangements committee.

On the plaque are the names of two Civil War heroes, seven from World War I and 17 from World War II.

Mrs. George Brode Heads Homemakers

WESTERNPORT — Mrs. George Brode was reelected president of the Westernport Homemakers Club at their monthly meeting Friday night in the Union Hall in the rear of Burns Restaurant.

Mrs. Q. J. Baughman was also reelected vice president. Other officers selected were Mrs. Harry Harris, secretary and Mrs. Carl Bosley, treasurer.

Mrs. Harry Pence, music chairman, gave a talk on the hymn, "My Faith Looks Up to Thee," by Lowell Mason, after which the group sang the song.

A sewing day was planned to be held Wednesday November 17, from 10 a. m. to 3 p. m. at the home of Mrs. T. Clyde Kalbaugh, 113 Church Street. Mrs. Harry Harris will be the instructor.

Plans were also made for the observance of Achievement Day at their regular meeting Friday November 26.

Articles of clothing made, and canning work done during the year by members will be on display.

Mrs. Brode appointed the following committee to make arrangements for the meeting: Mrs. Pence, Mrs. John E. Grindle, Mrs. Thomas Dolan and Mrs. Joseph Strickler.

Games were played under the direction of Mrs. Harry Faenabaker. Prizes were won by Mrs. Q. J. Baughman, Mrs. T. Clyde Kalbaugh and Mrs. Joseph Guy. Refreshments were served.

4-H District Leaders Meet With Mrs. Yutzky

MT. SAVAGE—The 4-H District Leaders Training Conference was held last week at the home of Mrs. Raymond Yutzky, Calla Hill.

Miss Dorothy Emerson, state 4-H girls' agent, and Miss Gloria Bohn, assistant home demonstration agent, presided. The hostesses, Mrs. Yutzky and Mrs. Wilson Sweeney served luncheon.

Leaders present included Mrs. Charles Long, Mrs. Chandler, Mrs. John Fisher and Mrs. Brout, all of LaVale, and Mrs. Jean Offen, Mrs. Yutzky and Mrs. Sweeney, all of Mt. Savage.

Grantsville Briefs And Personals

Mr. and Mrs. James Johnson, Salisbury, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. Harper Kelley, Grantsville, spent the weekend with Mr. Kelley's mother, Mrs. Mary Kelley, Grantsville, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Ashby, Confluence, Pa., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence J. Miller.

Mrs. Francis Drumm and daughter, Barbara Ellen, Cumberland, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nevin J. Miller and C. C. Wiseman.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Beachy, Smock, Pa., and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Harlow were Sunday guests of Mrs. Eva Beachy and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Helton.

Mr. and Mrs. Harper Kelley entertained 23 guests in honor of their daughter, Patricia's birthday. The house was decorated in orange and black and balloons.

Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Stanton spent Sunday with Mr. Stanton's brother, Mr. and Mrs. William Guagay, at their home at St. Paul, Pa. Mr. Guagay's two sons, William and Raymond, are spending two weeks with their uncles, Blaine Guagay, New Mexico, and Mr. and Mrs. George Lininger, Waterloo, Iowa.

Mrs. W. B. Peckham, Utica, N. Y., spent several days with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Mary Gibson, enroute to St. Petersburg, Fla., where she will spend the winter.

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Tri-Towns Briefs And Personals

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wortman, Pratt Street, Luke, have returned from a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wortman, New York City. During their visit, his parents observed their 54th wedding anniversary.

The Young Ladies Bible Class of Piedmont Trinity Methodist Church, will hold a Halloween party tomorrow at the home of Mrs. Bernadette Vogtman, West Hampshire Street.

Miss Leona Schoppert and Miss Eileen Healy, Piedmont, returned from a visit to New York.

Dinner-Meeting Set

WESTERNPORT—The annual dinner-meeting of the Westernport and Luke Civic Club will be held Tuesday night, November 9, at Hammond Street School. Mrs. Paul McCoy will be in charge of the program.



EDUCATORS HONORED—Lonaconing's Central High School faculty paid honor to the newly appointed principal, Raymond O. McCullough, Jr., (left) and two teachers assigned to the school this year. They are Miss Carmel A. Sirianni (center) and Daniel K. Shirey (right). The educators were the guests of honor at a faculty dinner given Wednesday at Big Savage Inn. McCullough is a former teacher of Allegany and Port Hill High Schools. Miss Sirianni is a member of the Commercial Department and Shirey is teaching history at the school.

EUGENE FLINN WEDS BARBARA BACHTEL

FROSTBURG—Mr. and Mrs. Paul Y. Bachtel, Oakland, announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Barbara Carol Bachtel, to Eugene Marry Flinn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Flinn, Cresaptown. The ceremony was performed October 16 at the Red House Lutheran Church, near Oakland, with Rev. A. K. Jones, pastor, officiating.

The bride was attired in a blue street length dress with black accessories and wore a corsage of pink rosebuds.

Attendants were Mrs. Glenn Prantz, sister of the bride, Mt. Lake Park, and John Lutzier, Cresaptown. Both Mr. and Mrs. Flinn are in the junior class at Frostburg State Teachers College and are residing in Frostburg.

The bride was graduated from Oakland High School in 1944 and majored in the commercial course. At the college she is taking teacher's training and is a member of the Little Theatre group, the Maryland Singers, the Future Teachers of America and the Women's Recreational Association.

Mr. Flinn was graduated from Allegany High School, Cumberland, and is a veteran of 14 months with the Navy. He spent 12 months in the ETO. He is a member of the PTA, the Maryland Singers, the Men's Athletic Association and the soccer team.

Frostburg Man's Cottage Burns

FROSTBURG — Clifford D. Jeffries, owner of a seven-room fire cottage which was destroyed by fire Sunday afternoon, has indicated he will investigate the origin of the blaze.

The cottage, valued at more than \$5,000, was located on the Casselman River near Grantsville. Only a small part of the loss was covered by insurance.

Jeffries, who was spending the weekend with a party of friends at a nearby cottage which he also owns, discovered the blaze.

The Grantsville Volunteer Fire Department answered the alarm but had difficulty in getting the pumping apparatus to operate.

"Mikado" Rehearsals To Begin Tonight

FROSTBURG — First rehearsals for "The Mikado," the operetta to be presented under auspices of Beall High School, will be held tonight at 7 o'clock. The principals will meet at the home of Miss Mabel Myers, 45 South Water Street, and the chorus will meet in the music room of Beall High School with Prof. Franklin Cermock.

There are a number of vacancies for male and female voices in the chorus. Persons interested are asked to attend the rehearsal tonight.

Eckhart Group Plans Halloween Event

FROSTBURG — The Eckhart Street Light Association will hold a Halloween celebration tonight at 7:30 o'clock at the Eckhart Community Center.

The program will include a grand march, a cake walk and round and square dancing. Music will be furnished by Billy Barry and his orchestra. Prizes will be awarded for best costumes and comic and fancy dress.

FROSTBURG PERSONALS

Mrs. G. A. Shuckhart, Wood Street, has gone to Philadelphia, Pa., to visit her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bricker, and their infant daughter, Barbara Jane. Mr. Bricker is the former Miss Mary Louise Shuckhart, this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kyle and son, Bobby, returned to Barborton, O., after vacationing here with their respective parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Kyle and Mrs. Allen Lewis. Miss Mildred Kyle accompanied them to Alliquipp, Pa., where she will spend two weeks before returning home.

Mrs. Nona Kyle, who spent her vacation here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Kyle and daughter Donna Jean and Ruth, has returned to Baltimore, where she is employed.

Coney Republicans Plan Rally Friday

LONAICONING—A rally and oyster supper will be held Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Lonaconing Republican Club, Union Street. The public is invited.

The club has also announced plans for a masquerade dance Thursday evening. Prizes will be awarded for the best costumes.

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KEYSER

Mrs. Hoffman Is Hostess To DAR At Keyser Social

KEYSER—The monthly meeting of Potomac Valley Chapter, National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, was held recently at the home of Mrs. Huntley Hoffman, with Mrs. Elita Nestor, Mrs. Leila Wendell, Mrs. W. S. Caldwell and Miss Ethel Dear as assisting hostesses.

The president general's October message was read by Miss Hallie Sayre. It told of progress in the national society's building project, and stressed the value of spiritual things.

A financial report on a rummage sale sponsored by the chapter was given by Miss Pauline Gelwick, who was given a rising vote of thanks for her work in the sale.

Interesting reports of the state meeting held in Fairmont were given by Mrs. W. S. Caldwell and Mrs. H. G. Steorts.

The program also included the reading of a paper on the personalities and work of past presidents of the society. The wife of President Harrison was the first president general and was succeeded by four ladies who were wives of government officials. These early leaders, Mrs. Wendell said, laid a firm foundation on which fourteen other capable and patriotic women who succeeded them have built an ever enlarging structure.

The meeting was opened by Mrs. W. S. Caldwell, regent, and the opening devotional and patriotic ritual was led by Mrs. Steorts, chaplain.

Following the program refreshments were served. Those attending were: Mrs. Lillian Trout, Philadelphia; Miss Rebekah Johnson, Piedmont; Miss Pauline Gelwick, Hallie Sayre, Frances Davis, Lily B. Wagoner, Daisy Lowry, all of Keyser; Mrs. Altin D. Gourley, Westport; Mrs. E. P. Weischnoe, Mrs. Harry Wells, Mrs. Lyle Wilson, Mrs. James F. Richards, Mrs. H. G. Steorts, Mrs. Walter A. Jaworek, Mrs. W. S. Caldwell, Mrs. J. T. Little, Mrs. J. H. A. Brown, Mrs. J. W. Edwards, Mrs. J. H. Dean, Mrs. T. V. O'Connor, Mrs. Martin L. Watson, all of Keyser.

HARRY SEGIE WEDS FROSTBURG GIRL

FROSTBURG—The marriage of Miss Jeannine Schriener, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Schriener, 90 Mt. Pleasant Street, to Harry Seggie, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Seggie, Midlothian, was solemnized Friday afternoon at the rectory of St. Michael's Catholic Church, with Rev. Regis P. Larkin performing the double-ring ceremony.

The attendants were Miss Drucilla Schriener, sister of the bride, and Thomas Cain, the bride's cousin.

The bride was attired in a grey suit with matching accessories and a shoulder corsage of pink rosebuds. Her sister wore an aqua and grey wool suit and a corsage of gardenias.

The couple are former students at Beall High School. The bridegroom is a veteran of World War II and a member of Farday Post No. 24, American Legion. Mrs. Seggie is a member of the Arion Band.

Mt. Savage Briefs

MT. SAVAGE—The W. S. C. S. of Mt. Savage Methodist Church will hold a special program Wednesday to celebrate the World's Day of Prayer. All members and guests are requested to be present at 2:30 p. m.

The Past Councilors Club will hold a masked party in the Junior Order Hall Friday night at 8 p. m.

Junior C. D. of A. will hold a meeting and social in St. Patrick's Hall Tuesday night at 8 p. m.

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WESTERNPORT HAS NEW RECRUITER—Sgt. Kenneth C. Nine, husband of Mrs. Alice Nine, Westernport, arrived here Friday to take over the Army recruiting duties of Sgt. Wesley P. Welch who was transferred recently to the Silver Spring recruiting station.

Sgt. Nine, who was last stationed with the Masontown, Pa., recruiting office, has been in the Army for eight years. He served in the Hawaiian and Phoenix Islands in the South Pacific and returned to the United States in June, 1943. He then went to the European Theatre with the 35th Infantry Division.

Mrs. Nine is the daughter of Mrs. Margaret Green and she and their 15-month-old son have been making their home here while Sgt. Nine was in Masontown. Sgt. Nine's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Nine, Lonaconing.

For the present, Westernport Recruiting Headquarters will be open in the City Hall Monday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. On Tuesdays Sgt. Nine will be at the Devon Club, Luke, and on postoffice at Bloomington. He will be in the Barton Postoffice on Wednesdays.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Good Will Fire Company will hold a bazaar on November 19 in the Fireman's armory, third floor.

Clarence McKenzie, Detmold, is a patient in Allegany Hospital, Cumberland.

Mrs. James G. Matthews, Gills Hill, is a patient in Miners Hospital where she was admitted last Thursday for observation.

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Oakland To Mark Centennial Event Next Aug. 7-13

Rathbun Appoints Committee Heads

OAKLAND—Groundwork for next year's centennial celebration for the city of Oakland was planned at the initial meeting of the centennial committee this week. The dates for the centennial were set for August 7 to 13, and several of the days were definitely designated, according to F. E. Rathbun, general chairman. Several committees were appointed and additional ones are to be named as required, he said.

The theme of the centennial will be "An appreciation of the present through the recognition of the past."

Assistance of all kinds was offered by the Baltimore and Ojo railroad through a letter recently, regarding any historical facts.

Lawrence M. Fraley advised the committee that Rep. J. Glenn Beall believed the Postoffice department would print a centennial stamp for Oakland, and that M. W. Groves, district passenger agent for the B. and O., would do all he could for the committee in arranging an excursion and the loan of old-time equipment.

Among the days selected were Railroad Day, Farmers' Day, Firemen's Day, Church Day, Homecoming and Play Day, Conservation Day and others.

Another meeting of the general committee was called for November 12, at which time chairmen of various committees are to be present.

Reservoir Installed At Swallow Falls

OAKLAND—Joseph F. Kaylor, state director of the department of forestry, H. C. Buckingham, state forester, and William Parr, district forester, were in Garrett County last week inspecting conditions at the state forests.

Kaylor announced that there had just been completed at Swallow Falls a 10,000 gallon reservoir, with a deep well pump attached, to furnish drinking water for fountains in the picnic area next summer.

A number of improvements are being planned to give accommodations to the increased number of people who were taking advantage of the state parks. Lifeguards which were on duty this year, would be continued next year, it was announced. Mr. Buckingham said that the guards had saved three lives this summer, two at Herrington Manor and one at Swallow Falls.

Garrett AAUW To Hear Talk On Porcelain

OAKLAND—The Garrett Branch of the American Association of University Women has arranged a special meeting to hear a talk by Miss Mary F. Murdock, Kingwood, Va., and St. Petersburg, Fla., on the "Romance of Porcelain."

It will be held next Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Lutheran church Sunday School room and will be open to any interested persons.

Miss Murdock was a former instructor in applied art at Carnegie Institute of Technology, Pittsburgh, and has studied pottery in a number of foreign countries including Italy.

Dr. Gardner To Talk On Mental Hygiene

OAKLAND—Mrs. William R. Browning, public health chairman of the Oakland club, has arranged for Dr. Robert E. Gardner, Springfield State hospital, Sykesville, to speak at a luncheon to be held Tuesday at 1 o'clock at the William-James hotel. His topic will be "Some Phases of Mental Hygiene."

The committee assisting Mrs. Browning includes Mrs. J. D. Darby, Mrs. Angela Smart, Miss Grace Jones, Mrs. John Hart and Mrs. Irvin Field.

Oakland Merchants To Plan Shopping Drive

OAKLAND—Merchants of Oakland will meet November 4 at the city council chamber, to discuss plans for the second annual Christmas shopping campaign. W. W. Davis, Chamber of Commerce secretary, said.

Davis read a letter from Rep. J. Glenn Beall who stated that in all probability the Freedom Train would be in Oakland during the Centennial celebration next year. He said he had been in touch with the Heritage Foundation and that he felt sure necessary arrangements could be made.

Inspect National Guard

OAKLAND—Three Army officers were in Oakland Wednesday night to conduct the federal inspection of Company C, 121st Engineers, Maryland National Guard. They were Major Frank E. Garden, Major Grant B. Hankins and Capt. John H. Hoehder.

An official report of the proceedings will be announced later although it was reported the officers found the unit to be in good condition.

Infants Baptized

FROSTBURG—At the morning service Sunday, Rev. Harold R. Stoudt, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, baptized the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Alvin Krelling. The child was named Hollice Vivian. Krelling is the former Miss Dorothy Lloyd.

Rev. Stoudt also baptized the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. William Grimm, East Main Street. The child was named William Douglas Grimm, the former Miss Mary Louise Beeche, Cumberland.

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NEWS FROM THE TRI-STATE AREA

KEYSER



TWINS ALMOST FOUR—Donald Wayne McKennie, twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence McKennie, will celebrate their fourth birthday Friday at their home in Guntertown. Mr. and Mrs. McKennie are the parents of four other children, Karl McKennie, 12, Leona McKennie, 9, Lawrence McKennie, Jr., 8, and Maxeen McKennie, 6. The twins' grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James H. McKennie, Guntertown, and the late Mr. and Mrs. James T. Gomer, Sand Patch, Pa.

TRI-STATE DEATHS

CHAPMAN FUNERAL
FROSTBURG—A service for James W. Chapman, 83, former resident of Midlothian, who died Sunday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ranson Nave, 104 West Main Street, will be held tomorrow at 2:30 p. m. at the Hafer Funeral Home, East Main Street, with Rev. John Cameron Taylor, pastor of First Presbyterian Church, officiating. A burial service will be held in Allegheny Cemetery by officers of Mountain Lodge No. 99, A. F. and A. M.

MRS. HAZEL PLUMMER
FROSTBURG—Mrs. Hazel Plummer, 84, widow of Robert Plummer, 84 Bowery Street, died Sunday at Miners' Hospital, where she had been a patient for three days. A daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Streets, she was a native and life time resident of this city.

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Nellie Spaulding, and three sons, Ronald, Gilbert and Harold Plummer, Frostburg. She had two grandchildren. She also lived two sisters, Mrs. Charles Pittner, Frostburg and Mrs. Sadie Pegg, Uniontown, Pa.

The body is at the Hafer Funeral Home, this city.

MRS. CARRIE K. WALTERS
OCEAN—Mrs. Carrie Kafer Walters, 84, widow of George B. Walters, died Sunday at Springfield State Sanitarium. She was formerly of Ocean.

She is the last member of her immediate family. She is survived by several nieces and nephews.

The body will be taken to the Elchorn Funeral Home, Lonaconing, today. A service will be held at the funeral home tomorrow at 2 p. m. Rev. Raymond Crowe, pastor of the Midland Methodist Church, of which she was a member, will officiate.

Interment will be in Allegheny Cemetery, Frostburg.

GEORGE V. ARNOLD
BURKITTVILLE, Md.—(AP)—Funeral services will be held tomorrow for George Valentine Arnold, 78, former Frederick county commissioner and prominent farmer, who died Sunday. He is survived by his widow and two sons.

ROBERT PIER RITES
KEYSER—A funeral service for Robert Arnold Pier, who died in Charleston, S. C., Thursday, was held at the home of his father, W. C. Pier, 12 Sharpless Street, Sunday at 2:30 p. m. Rev. John C. B. McLaughlin, pastor of First Presbyterian Church, officiated. Interment was in Queens Point Cemetery.

Palbearers were Graham Pier, Brown Kooker, Raymond Grayson, James Briley, Mark Wenner and Estel A. Miers.

NEWTON GARLAND RITES
KEYSER—Final rites for Newton Brown Garland, who died in Potomac Valley Hospital Wednesday, were conducted Saturday at 2 p. m. at Trinity Methodist Church, Port Ashby, Rev. Earl Wolford officiated. He was assisted by Rev. H. S. Meyer, pastor of Grace Methodist Church, Keyser, and Rev. J. H. Lotspeich, Port Ashby. Interment was in the Port Ashby Cemetery.

Palbearers were N. B. Hinkle, G. W. Hinkle, H. P. Hinkle, Jacob Hinkle, G. R. Garland and William Garland.

MRS. FRIEND RITES
KEYSER—A funeral service for Mrs. Virginia Friend, wife of W. F. Friend, who died Friday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Lotspeich, 279 South Main Street, was held yesterday morning at 10 o'clock. Rev. John C. B. McLaughlin, pastor of First Presbyterian Church, officiated. Interment was in Queens Point Cemetery.

Palbearers were Lonnie Dayton, Paul Kiser, Frank Rotruck, S. E. Hanna, E. T. Kessel and E. M. Slaughter.

Miss Rachel Gettings Becomes Bride

OAKLAND—Mrs. Josephine Wickham, Gratton, Va., has announced the marriage of her daughter, Miss Rachel Gettings, Oakland, to Ernest R. Wolfe, also of Oakland, October 15 at the home of Rev. H. O. Teagarden in Mt. Lake Park.

The bride had as her only attendant, Mrs. May DeWitt, sister of the bridegroom. The bride is employed at the Hinebaugh restaurant, Wolfe, a graduate of Oakland High School, is employed by the State Roads Commission. He is a veteran of World War II.

The couple will reside in Oakland with the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Ernest Wolfe, Sr., Reese Street.

Service Plaque To Be Dedicated

MT. SAVAGE—A service plaque containing the names of Mt. Savage dead from three wars—the Civil War and World Wars I and II, will be dedicated Sunday at 2 p. m. in the Memorial Center.

Matthew Mullaney, attorney, former resident of Mt. Savage, will be the main speaker. Other talks will be given by James B. Crump and Lester R. Reed. Three ministers will take part in the ceremonies and music will be furnished by the Junior Order band.

Colin Bowers, William Farrell and Peter Hughes comprise the arrangements committee.

On the plaque are the names of two Civil War heroes, seven from World War I and 17 from World War II.

Mrs. George Brode Heads Homemakers

WESTERNPORT—Mrs. George Brode was re-elected president of the Westernport Homemakers Club at their monthly meeting Friday night in the Union Hall in the rear of Burns Restaurant.

Mrs. Q. J. Baughman was also re-elected vice president. Other officers selected were Mrs. Harry Harris, secretary and Mrs. Carl Bailey, treasurer.

Mrs. Harry Pence, immediate chairman, gave a talk on the hymn, "My Faith Looks Up to Thee," by Lowell Mason, after which the group sang the song.

A sewing day was planned to be held Wednesday November 17, from 10 a. m. to 3 p. m. at the home of Mrs. J. Clyde Kalbaugh, 113 Church Street. Mrs. Harry Harris will be the instructor.

Plans were also made for the observance of Achievement Day at their regular meeting Friday November 26.

Articles of clothing made, and canning work done during the year by members will be on display.

Mrs. Brode appointed the following committee to make arrangements for the meeting: Mrs. Pence, Mrs. John E. Grindle, Mrs. Thomas Dolan and Mrs. Joseph Strickler.

Games were played under the direction of Mrs. Harry Fazenbaker. Prizes were won by Mrs. Q. J. Baughman, Mrs. J. Clyde Kalbaugh and Mrs. Joseph Guy. Refreshments were served.

4-H District Leaders Meet With Mrs. Yulzy

MT. SAVAGE—The 4-H District Leaders Training Conference was held last week at the home of Mrs. Raymond Yulzy, Calla Hill.

Miss Dorothy Emerson, state 4-H club agent, and Miss Gloria Bohn, assistant home demonstration agent, presided. The hostesses, Mrs. Yulzy and Mrs. Wilson Sweeney served luncheon.

Leaders present included Mrs. Charles Long, Mrs. Chandler, Mrs. John Fisher and Mrs. Brout, all of LaVale, and Mrs. Jean O'Brien, Yulzy and Mrs. Sweeney, all of Mt. Savage.

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The ceremony was performed October 16 at the Red House Lutheran Church, near Oakland, with Rev. A. K. Jones, pastor, officiating.

The bride was attired in a blue street length dress with black accessories and wore a corsage of pink roses.

Attendants were Mrs. Glenn Frantz, sister of the bride, Mt. Lake Park, and John Lutz, Creston.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Flinn are in the junior class at Frostburg State Teachers College and are residing in Frostburg.

The bride was graduated from Oakland High School in 1944 and is a member of the commercial course.

At the college she is taking teaching and is a member of the Little Theatre group, the Maryland Singers, the Future Teachers of America and the Women's Recreational Association.

Mr. Flinn was graduated from Allegany High School, Cumberland, and is a member of 14 months with the Navy. He spent 12 months in the ETO. He is a member of the PTA, the Maryland Singers, the Men's Athletic Association and the soccer team.

Frostburg Man's Cottage Burns

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The television will go over a seven-station midwest ABC network and comprise these stations: WENR-TV of Chicago, WTMJ-TV of Milwaukee, KSD-TV of St. Louis, WSPD-TV of Toledo, WXYZ-TV of Detroit, WVEU-TV of Cleveland and WBEW-TV of Buffalo.

America's Town Meeting, in continuing its Radio-TV double transmissions via ABC, will be arguing the question, "What hope for Europe?" at 8:30. The debaters will be primarily radio commentators, and include H. V. Kaltenborn, Wm. L. Shirer, Paul Manning and Norman Cousins.

Another of the Tuesday regular broadcasts also going in for television is the CBS "We the People" at 9. This is the one that stresses human interest interviews.

Added to the political schedule, for ABC at 10 are Wm. Green, George Meany and Edward Arnold.

An additional political broadcast, announced for NBC at 8 will be a special supplied by the Republican national committee.

The Radio Clock

NETWORK PROGRAMS

Time is eastern standard. For central standard subtract one hour, for mountain standard subtract two hours. Some local stations change hour of relay to fit local schedules. Last minute program changes cannot be included.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 26

Evening

- 6:00—News Report 15 Min.—nbc
- 6:05—Newsday Every Day—nbc
- 6:10—Network Silent Hour—abc-west
- 6:15—Kiddies Hour (repeats)—mbs-west
- 6:20—Sports: Mutual Time—nbc
- 6:25—Talk on Science—nbc
- 6:30—Newscast by Three—nbc
- 6:35—Lowell Thomas (repeats)—nbc
- 6:40—Supper Club—nbc-basle
- 6:45—The Social Sit—nbc
- 6:50—News and Commentary—nbc
- 6:55—Fulton Lewis Jr.—nbc
- 7:00—News and Comment—nbc
- 7:05—Jack Smith Show—nbc
- 7:10—Daily Commentary—nbc
- 7:15—Cinema—nbc
- 7:20—Sports: Mutual Time—nbc
- 7:25—Music Relax—nbc
- 7:30—News Comment—nbc
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- 7:40—Sports Comment—nbc
- 7:45—Mel Tormé Show—nbc
- 7:50—Mystery Theater Play—nbc
- 7:55—Youth Asks Questions—nbc
- 8:00—Mysterious Traveler—nbc
- 8:05—News Broadcast—nbc
- 8:10—Date with Judy—nbc
- 8:15—Mr. and Mrs. North—nbc
- 8:20—America's Town Meeting—nbc
- 8:25—Detective Drama—nbc
- 8:30—Hy Gardner Songs—nbc
- 8:35—Bob Hope Show—nbc
- 8:40—We People: Guest—nbc
- 8:45—Gabriel Heatter, Comment—nbc
- 8:50—News Broadcast—nbc
- 8:55—Fibber and Molly—nbc
- 9:00—Life With Lucille—nbc
- 9:05—News Comment—nbc
- 9:10—Lone Wolf Drama—nbc
- 9:15—Chamber Music—nbc
- 9:20—News for 5 Minutes—nbc
- 9:25—Big Town Drama—nbc
- 9:30—Hit the Jackpot—nbc
- 9:35—Public Defender—nbc
- 9:40—People Are Funny—nbc
- 9:45—Amsterdam Show—nbc
- 9:50—Let Freedom Ring—nbc
- 9:55—Dance Orchestra—nbc
- 10:00—String Serenade—nbc
- 10:05—News, Variety, 2 hrs.—nbc
- 10:10—News and Dance Band—nbc
- 10:15—News, Variety 1 hr.—nbc
- 10:20—Dancing Continued—nbc-west

WTBO Highlights

- 6:00 Breakfast on a Platter (NBC)
- 6:15 News (NBC)
- 6:30 Breakfast on a Platter (NBC)
- 6:45 News (NBC)
- 7:00 Breakfast on a Platter (NBC)
- 7:15 World News Round-Up (NBC)
- 7:30 The Minute Parade (NBC)
- 7:45 Morning Meditations (NBC)
- 7:55 Honorary in New York (NBC)
- 8:00 Music for Tuesday (NBC)
- 8:15 News (NBC)
- 8:30 Fred Waring Show (NBC)
- 8:45 Road of Life (NBC)
- 8:55 The Brighter Day (NBC)
- 9:00 This is Nora Drake (NBC)
- 9:15 We Love and Learn (NBC)
- 9:30 Jack Bench Show (NBC)
- 9:45 Music at Mid-Day (NBC)
- 10:00 Mid-Day News (NBC)
- 10:15 The Bandstand (NBC)
- 10:30 P. D. (NBC)
- 10:45 Concert Airs (NBC)
- 11:00 Cadence 120 (NBC)
- 11:15 Here's Jack Kelly (NBC)
- 11:30 Double or Nothing (NBC)
- 11:45 Today's Children (NBC)
- 12:00 Interlude (NBC)
- 12:15 Life Can Be Beautiful (NBC)
- 12:30 Ma Perkins (NBC)
- 12:45 Pepper Young's Family (NBC)
- 1:00 Right to Happiness (NBC)
- 1:15 Backstage Wife (NBC)
- 1:30 Stella Dallas (NBC)
- 1:45 Lovin' Jones (NBC)
- 2:00 Young Wilder Brown (NBC)
- 2:15 Live at Five (NBC)
- 2:30 News (NBC)
- 2:45 The Old Chisholm Trail (NBC)
- 3:00 News (NBC)
- 3:15 Community Chest Talk (NBC)
- 3:30 The Three Suns (NBC)
- 3:45 The Sportsman's Corner (NBC)
- 4:00 Alcoholic Anonymous (NBC)
- 4:15 Supper Club (NBC)
- 4:30 News of the World (NBC)
- 4:45 The Snowflakes (NBC)
- 5:00 Excursions in Science (NBC)
- 5:15 Sports Celebrities in Behalf of Gov. Dewey (NBC)
- 5:30 Date With Judy (NBC)
- 5:45 Bob Hope Show (NBC)
- 6:00 Fibber McGee and Molly (NBC)
- 6:15 Address by Gov. Thomas E. Dewey (NBC)
- 6:30 People Are Funny (NBC)
- 6:45 News (NBC)
- 7:00 Songs by Morton Downey (NBC)
- 7:15 Billmore Hotel Orchestra (NBC)
- 7:30 News (NBC)

RADIO IN REVIEW

By JOHN CROSBY

Some Lightweights

There are some lightweight programs around which excite in me neither indignation nor admiration to any great degree and we might as well dispense with them in a jump. One of them is a musical show called "The All Star Review" (Mutual 9:30 p. m. Thursdays) which contains several famous names but none of the people that made the names famous.

Heading the cast are Marian Hutton, Betty's sister—no relation to Baby—and Ray Sinatra, Frank's cousin. Marian is a singer and a pretty good one. She hasn't got her sister's bounce but that's all right with me. Ray is an orchestra leader who plays a piano capably enough, though I don't expect he'll ever get as rich as his cousin. It's a pleasant, unpretentious musical show and I wish the principals the best of luck with it since I too have operated under the handicap of a famous name that belonged to someone else. Besides Miss Hutton and Mr. Sinatra, the show offers Jack Smith, "the fellow with a smile in his voice." I don't know who he's related to.

"Mr. Chameleon" is just what the country needed, a new cops and robbers program. The producers are Frank and Anne Hummert, the soap opera emperors on whose domain the sun never sets. The show, while it is reasonably free from the suffering which goes on all afternoon, has a soapy glaze on it. "Mr. Chameleon," whose name has been

glorified in the title, is a detective from Central Headquarters, wherever that is, who "has long terrorized the underworld."

Chameleon's special gift is disguise; he's a sort of Lon Chaney who worms his way into the gang and when he has the goods on everyone, tears off his putty nose and stand revealed as the great crimebuster. Plausibility has never bothered the Hummerts much and, judging from their success in the soap opera field, it doesn't bother their audience much either. However, even overlooking the fundamental implausibility of this one, it gets pretty silly and will probably be enormously successful.

"The Smiths of Hollywood," a transcribed show, has a lot of good qualities but, I find, gets a little tedious after the first twenty minutes. This is a program which has the leavings of a lot of bigger shows, including the services of Harry Von Zell, the well known actor, and Arthur Treacher, the renowned portrayer of butlers. Both men are operating outside their specialties in this instance.

It's a domestic comedy with Von Zell playing a bumbling husband, opposite Brenda Marshall's brittle good-humored wife. Treacher is their Uncle Cecil from England, a sort of acid, asinine, no-good bachelor of extreme gullibility and he plays the part for all it's worth. If I were in the habit of passing out stars, I'd give this one about one and a half.

A recent column contained the statement that "though CBS has a much larger share of the audience on Thursday nights than C.B.S., Well, C.B.S. not only disputed it but produced Mr. Hooper's figures to disprove me. Last spring the state-

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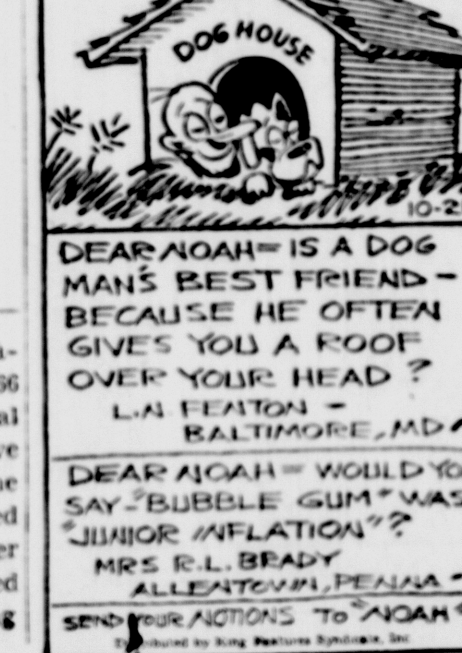
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IT WAS JUST A THOUGHT

ANOTHER SHOT! THEY'LL KILL BRICK—THOSE MURDEROUS FIENDS! I'VE GOT TO GET TO HIM!

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YOU'RE BEING VERY IMPOLITE BUT WAIT! GIVE ME TIME TO THINK.

TALK, TALK! THERE'S BEEN TOO MUCH TALK ABOUT GETTING MARRIED AND PRECIOUS LITTLE DONE ABOUT IT. HERE'S A CAB—GET IN!

GET IN! I TELL YOU!

LISTEN, MY DARLING, I CAN BE AS MULE-HEADED AS YOU, AFTER ALL I'VE BEEN THRU IN JAVA. I DETEST THE PLACE. I WILL NOT BE MARRIED IN JAVA.

WHAT ON EARTH WUZ YE SCREECHIN' ABOUT, PAW?

A TRAINED SEAL WUZ BALANCIN' MY PUNKIN' HAIR ON HIS NOSE! HE WENT THAT-A-WAY

AW, SHUX—THAT WUZIN' NO SEAL, PAW—THAT WUZ A DOG FISH! I HEERED HIM BARKIN'

SUCH A IGNORAMUS YE BE, LOWEZEY—I TELL YE IT WUZ A BONEY-FIDEY SEAL!!

YE'VE TETCHED IN TH' HAIR, PAW—A SEAL IS A LITTLE DONKEY-LOOKIN' VARMINT WIF STRIPES

YE BODACIOUS IDJIT!! THAT'S A KANGY-ROO!!

WHAT A WONDERFUL WRIST WATCH—

THAT'S FROM TOM, DICK AN' HARRY—LITTLE BELLS RING IN IT EVERY HOUR JUST LIKE BELLS DOES ON A SHIP—BUT NOT SO LOUD

CAPTAIN DICKENS GAVE ME THIS PEARL NECKLACE—HE SEZ PEARLS ARE THE FLOWERS THAT GROW IN THE BEAUTIFUL GARDENS UNDER THE SEA

I'LL BETCHA THIS CHINESE COAT WILL LOOK NICER ON YOU THAN IT DOES ON ME—'CAUSE YOU USED TO BE A GODDESS AN' WORE SWELL CLOTHES—

YOU KIN KEEP IT FOR KEEPS—ON L. THE ISLAND YOU WAS JUST A GODDES—NOW YOU LOOK LIKE A LOVELY LITTLE CHINESE ANGEL—

A. P. FLASH. THE QUEEN MARY ARRIVED TODAY BRINGING THE ENGLISH HEAVYWEIGHT CHAMPION EUSTACE PINKNEY—GRIMES, WHO IS TO MEET WORLD'S CHAMPION JOE FALOOKA IN BOSTON. HIS VALET, SECRETARY, MANAGER AND TRAINER ACCOMPANIED THE ENGLISH CHALLENGER.

PLAST THESE COLONIALS! WHAT RUMKIN' NERVE! EXAMININ' OUAH LUGGAGE! WHAT GALL!

RIGHT, SIR.

ORR, RIGHT, M' FUSTACE—IF EUSTACE'S WIFE, WE'LL GO DIRECT TO BOSTON.

TELL THOSE BLASTED NEWS-PAPAR CHAPS NOT TO BOTAN ME AGAIN! THEY'RE AN UNBROUCH LOT!

THEY ARE, INDEED, SIR.

BOSTON! WHAT'S BOSTON? AHEM... OR YES... DON'T WE TEACH OF COURSE, SIR—SHALL I ORDER TEA, SIR?

THIS GRANNY SAW HER DADDY COME RUSHING FROM THE WOODS, SHOUTING HE'D FOUND JOHN TELL'S CAVE

SHE RAN TO MEET HIM, AND AS SHE DID HE STUMBLED LIKE AND FELL WHEN SHE REACHED HIS SIDE HE WAS GONE.

DEAD?

YED, KILLED BY THE EXCITEMENT BUT HELD IN HIS ARMS WAS A RIFLE WITH JOHN TELL'S NAME ON IT.

AND HE COULDN'T TELL WHERE HE FOUND IT!

WE KNOW WHAT THE KILLER LOOKS LIKE, BUT WE DON'T KNOW HIS NAME, NOR DO WE HAVE ANY RECORDS ON HIM

HAND ME THE SCISSORS, CHIEF PATTON

ONCE AGAIN I'M GOING TO CALL ON THE TELEVISION STATIONS TO HELP US I'M GOING TO ASK THEM TO TELEVIEW THIS PICTURE OF HIS FACE

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Fire Damages Three-Story Brick Building

Workmen Narrowly Escape Injury

A three-alarm fire, caused by ignited fumes of an undetermined source and nature, did serious damage late last night to a three-story brick building at 158-160 Frederick Street, which houses two business establishments and two family apartments.

Two workmen in the place at the time, Paul Nelson, Hill Street, and Robert Carter, Polk Street, narrowly escaped injury.

The building, an old structure owned by Mrs. Mary T. Lippold, Fayette Street, is three stories high in front with one and two-story additions in the rear.

Started On Lower Floor

The Queen City Electric Company, operated by William Blake, and the Queen City Electric Repair Company, operated by John J. Lighter, occupy the lower floor of the building, where the fire originated.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Bosley and family occupy one upstairs apartment, and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Walbert, with Mrs. William McGreevy, Mrs. Walbert's mother, occupy the other.

Bosley operates a car parking lot on Frederick Street, while Walbert is employed in coming at the Celanese. Mr. and Mrs. Walbert had retired and did not know about the fire until they heard the fire engines, Mrs. Walbert told the News.

Mrs. McGreevy and her grandson, Billy 13, were at the movies at the time.

Filled With Smoke

Mr. and Mrs. Bosley and other members of the household were all at home in the apartment over 158 Frederick. Most of the fire was in the side known as 160 Frederick under the Walbert home. However, the entire upper portion of the structure was filled with foul-smelling smoke and there was considerable water damage in much of the building.

Carter and Nelson said they were working late on an emergency motor repair job. They explained that it is customary to take or heat motors repaired and rewound, in a brick oven, heated with natural gas.

Explosion Takes Place

The men said they had been in and out of the oven room a dozen times during the night and had smelled no gas. However, one of them went to the back part of the oven to turn on a valve controlling the oven, while the other lit a piece of paper and tossed it into the device to ignite the burner.

The explosion took place, they said, before the valve was turned on. They described the explosion as mild and of no great force, but reddish like flames spread quickly throughout the building, particularly along the concrete floor and roof. One ventured the opinion the fumes may have been from gasoline in a sewer, or some other type of sewer gas. However, no official statement was offered last night.

Officials of the Cumberland and Allegheny Gas Company were at the scene conducting a preliminary investigation.

Carter and Nelson were uninjured by the fire and explosion, and said they attempted to extinguish the flames with fire extinguishers kept in the shop. Their efforts were futile, they declared, since "fire seemed to be everywhere."

A truck, in the front part of the Blake electric shop was removed from the building without damage. However, extensive damage was done to electrical supplies, automotive electrical repair parts, motors, machinery and other equipment in the establishment.

The roof and interior of the part of the structure housing the electric repair shop were badly damaged.

Confined To One Building

Firemen from Central, East Side and West Side fought the stubborn blaze for more than an hour and were successful in confining it to the building where it originated. They were handicapped by dense smoke and fumes from burning insulation and electrical parts in the place. Smoke settled over the entire downtown area as far as Williams Creek, and rumors started that the Francis Oldsmobile Garage, adjacent to the place was afire. "The Oldsmobile Garage was not damaged."

Two canary-birds owned by Bosley died from smoke and fumes, but a love bird in an adjoining cage survived, except for badly ruffled feathers, obtained in an effort to escape.

A. and P. Clerks Win Wage Boost

Members of Local 886, Retail Food Clerks Union, AFL, will receive weekly wage increases ranging from \$2.50 to \$5.50 as a result of a new contract signed with the A. and P. Super Market here.

C. E. Stutzman, acting business agent of the union, who announced the settlement, said the wage boosts for the 65 workers will be retroactive to September 24. The contract will be effective until February 28, 1950, he added.

Local 322, Meat Cutters Union, AFL, members, who also are negotiating a new contract with the firm, met last night and turned down the company offer, according to Mike Roth, international agent of the union. He said the committee representing the 14 employees will continue negotiations until a satisfactory settlement is reached.

The Weather

Bright, crisp weather was the lot of Cumberland yesterday and seems on the agenda again today. The maximum temperature was 60 degrees which varied comparatively little from the low of 44. Late last night the thermometer read 49 degrees, making it possible to take a short walk without the heavy coats which were in order last week. The sun predicted for this afternoon should even bring out the skirt and sweater crowd.



FIRE -- ITS VICTIMS-- A glass of milk failed to quiet Nancy Lou Bosley's fright last night after she and her mother, Mrs. Oliver S. Bosley (top), 158 Frederick Street, were driven from their apartment by a three alarm fire that caused damage, still unestimated, to the Lippold property at 158-160 Frederick Street. Mrs. Bosley and her daughter were taken to the apartment of George Ruhl, 60 North Centre Street, after they were driven from their home clad only in night clothes. The lower picture shows four firemen venting the roof to let gases out of the building. They are Edgar Libbe welding the axe; Edward Jenkins, working behind Libbe, and Donald Davidson, holding a flashlight. The man on the extreme left is unidentified.

15-Year Service Pins Are Awarded To Nine Potomac Edison Employees

Pins and certificates for 15 years of active service with the Potomac Edison System were awarded to nine Cumberland, Frostburg, and Keyser area residents at the annual Potomac Edison Beneficial Association dinner meeting last night in Central YMCA.

Those receiving the awards were George E. Weaver, Harry J. Malloy, Edgar G. Meador, Troy T. Marks, Robert J. Appel, and Joseph B. Decker, of this city; Archie R. Wade and Henry R. Yates, Frostburg, and Leona G. Schoppert, Keyser.

Potomac Edison President R. Paul Smith, in his annual talk to Association members, briefly discussed the group's history and the part it has played in the company's development.

Smith, one of the Association's organizers and first members, told the audience, "We must always remember that our company depends upon the public. Our customers built Potomac Edison, and they are therefore entitled to the best possible service."

Beneficial Association Chairman T. L. Gibson announced at the close of the meeting, "Speaking for the employees' group chairman, we feel the Association is continuing the good work it has always done, and we are very much pleased with the way in which the new hospitalization help plan has been received and is working out."

Camera Club To Show Owego, N. Y., Display

The traveling salon display of the Owego Camera Club, Owego, N. Y., will be shown at the Cumberland Camera Club meeting Wednesday night at 8 o'clock in the Knights of the Malta Hall.

Members attending the meeting will also hear R. P. Piperoux, amateur portrait photographer of the New York City, who will appear as the guest speaker. He will speak on "Photographic Makeup."

The monthly picture contest will be judged by S. H. Dooley, president of the local club.

Mrs. Whitehurst Says Wallace Is No Communist

Expressing the opinion that Henry Wallace is not a Communist but is just a disgruntled individual who did not get to the top, Mrs. John L. Whitehurst, Baltimore, Democratic national committee-woman for Maryland, addressed an audience of Young Democrats and their guests at the Cosmopolitan Club last night.

Mrs. Whitehurst, who spoke earlier over a local radio station, said that "too many political parties can cause the downfall of our constitutional form of government." She cited France as an example, and declared, "When the people of France became split up into a half dozen or more political factions, democracy failed to work."

Championing the bi-partisan system, Mrs. Whitehurst said Wallace and his followers have no chance of winning the election, but the danger of his campaign lies in the fact that for the first time in the history of the country, there will be three to five million organized radicals. Such a group can continue to grow until the present successful and Democratic bi-partisan system will collapse, she counseled.

Mrs. Whitehurst said she has been to the Wallace farm in Iowa, and is a personal friend of Mrs. Wallace. She said the family comes from good pioneer stock and Wallace is not a Communist. "The man has lost his sense of values and is merely a disgruntled politician, who failed to get to the top," she declared.

Predicting Democratic victory next week so far as the national ticket is concerned, Mrs. Whitehurst also said she believes Maryland has an excellent chance of sending six Democrats to Congress, although an Eastern Shore district and this district are still in the doubtful stage.

Speaking for Hyne Austin, Democratic candidate for Congress from the Sixth District, she said, "Austin will carry his home county, Montgomery, by a good margin, but other parts of the district are in doubt." She spoke highly of the (Continued on Page 17, Col. 8)

Halloween Tricks Result In Injury, Home Defacing

2 Struck By Bricks Tied Above Doors

The "trick or treat" practice of Halloween was leaning heavy to the trick side last night and to quote Maryland State Police, "Some are not very funny tricks. They are serious, destructive acts. 'At least two persons in the LaVale area have been hit with bricks, numerous persons in LaVale, Crestapton and Ellerslie have complained of children throwing tomatoes and rotten fruit in their faces as doors are opened.' Homes, too, are being defaced by rotten fruit and mud."

The State Police clerk said close to 100 calls of protest were made to the LaVale Barracks by 11 p. m. last night, and explained the acts reported would result in prosecution of many of the individuals participating.

One of the most serious acts reported, police said, is children pulling light switches at home where the heating systems are electrically controlled. "Serious fires can result," police warned.

Motorists driving on side roads, were almost forced to proceed at snail pace, because they did not know when they were going to drive against a "road block" of oil drums that some of the older youths are stacking across the roads.

The incidents involving bricks, according to police, occurred in LaVale early last night. Authorities were unable to identify the injured persons immediately because investigating officers had not returned. However, the clerk said he learned that at two homes, children tied bricks above doors and as residents were attracted by noise they were struck on the head.

The injuries were not believed to be serious, but police said jail terms may result from the incidents.

Cleaves To Attend Legion's Citation Of Celanese Plant

A New York official of the Celanese Corporation of America, Emory N. Cleaves, will be present when the American Legion presents its award to the local plant Thursday night for outstanding record in employment of handicapped veterans of World War II.

Cleaves, assistant to Harold Blanche, corporation president, will speak for the president if he is unable to attend.

The citation and certificate of appreciation will be presented to the Celanese at ceremonies following a dinner scheduled for 7 p. m. at All Ghan Country Club. The dinner has been moved up from 7:30 p. m. to allow time for the ceremony which must begin promptly at 8 o'clock.

Numerous national and state American Legion officials are expected to attend the dinner and presentation of the citation which has been approved by the National Department, American Legion.

The selection of the local plant for the award indicates the outstanding accomplishments of the local industry in the employment of handicapped veterans. A survey of all industries in the state was made by the Legion before the selection was made. Only one award is made in each state.

Tickets for the dinner can be obtained at all American Legion Post homes in the Cumberland area, at Voltaire No. 163, 40 and 8 home, Cumberland, and from Leslie Clark and Thomas P. Conlon.

Legion officials who will attend include Harry S. Allen, Laurel, national executive committee member and past Maryland Department commander; John Carman, Joppe, department commander; J. Nelson Tribby, Baltimore, department adjutant.

Ralph H. Lavers, national employment chairman of the American Legion; Gratton Lee Brown, Maryland Veterans' Employment representative.

Stephen C. Cronwell, director of Unemployment Compensation in Maryland; Richard C. Manning, executive officer of Maryland's Veterans Commission; R. C. Thompson, director of vocational rehabilitation of the State Department of Education.

Florian J. Boland, staff field representative, Veterans' Employment Service; William C. Walsh, former attorney general of Maryland; Arthur G. Ramey, vice commander of Mountain District American Legion; (Continued on Page 17, Col. 8)

Charter Group Approves Primary Election Plan

Board Would Handle Majority Of Details

The Cumberland Charter Commission last night approved a suggestion that city primaries be placed under the supervision of the Board of Election Supervisors, with the exception of preparing and accepting application papers of candidates.

Under the present city charter, the city clerk handles arrangements for publishing the names of nominees for office, preparing, printing and distribution of primary ballots, polling places, and canvassing of the returns.

According to the suggested change, the city clerk would prepare and accept the nomination petitions and would then turn them over to the Board of Election Supervisors, which would conduct the election.

The matter was one of a number discussed by the commission to aid Dr. Carl N. Everstine, Baltimore, in preparing a preliminary draft of the proposed new charter.

To Handle Actual Drafting

Dr. Everstine, of the Department of Legislative Reference, has been retained by the Mayor and Council to handle actual drafting of the charter.

The commission also voted last night to request Dr. Everstine to submit suggestions regarding procedure to be followed if the proposal to conduct continuous registration of city voters is accepted.

Under the proposal, continuous registration would be handled by the city clerk, with the possible assistance of the clerk of the Board of Election Supervisors. The city would contribute toward the latter's salary.

Dr. Everstine pointed out at a recent meeting of the commission that Baltimore County and Montgomery County provide for continuous registration.

Suggestions Approved

Other suggestions in connection with drafting the new charter, approved by the commission, were:

1. To retain the present one-mile jurisdiction limit.

2. To give the Mayor and Council full power to delineate wards and precincts within the city.

3. To eliminate as "obsolete" the duty of the Mayor and Council to sit as a Board of Equalization and Review.

4. To eliminate the present provision regarding the carrying of concealed weapons, since the matter is covered by state law.

5. To permit the Mayor and Council to set the city's fiscal year. The present charter sets April 1 as the starting date of each fiscal year, but the date was changed to July 1 by city ordinance several months ago under the uniform system of accounts act approved by the General Assembly.

To Review General Powers

The commission decided to ask Dr. Everstine to review the present lengthy section dealing with general powers of the city, to determine whether it can be condensed.

City Attorney Thomas B. Finan has been asked to give an opinion regarding the need for incorporation of criminal statutes into the new charter. Five sections of the present charter deal with such matters.

Dr. Everstine will also be asked to study the existing 16 sections dealing with Memorial Hospital to determine whether any of the provisions are needed in the new charter.

Opinions from Finan and other legal advisors of the commission will be sought regarding questions of emergency borrowing power, public debt and existing indebtedness.

Dr. Everstine rated the questions in submitting tentative drafts dealing with incorporation, corporation limits and public debt.

Boundary Line Cited

The commission decided to ask City Engineer Ralph L. Rizer for a written opinion on the advisability of changing the city boundary line from the Maryland bank of the Potomac to follow the state boundary line, which is low water mark on the West Virginia side of the river.

Dr. Everstine pointed out in his letter that the question might be purely academic, since the city already has police power beyond its limits.

Mayor Thomas S. Post commented that such a change might prove to be more of a liability than an asset, citing the possibility that the city might have to assume maintenance of the Blue Bridge if the boundary line were changed.

Horace P. Whitworth, Jr., chairman of the Allegheny County Delegation, (Continued on Page 17, Col. 8)



ON HOSPITAL BOARD—The Board of Governors of Memorial Hospital yesterday elected Edward R. Allan, 502 Aviret Avenue, a member to succeed Wilbur V. Wilson, who retired. Allan is superintendent of personnel at the Amcelle plant of the Celanese Corporation of America. Other members of the board are Arthur Weber, president; Charles L. Kopp, secretary; William A. Gunter, treasurer; Charles A. Piper, Mayor Thomas S. Post and C. N. Wilkinson, Jr., president of the Allegheny County Board of Commissioners. Post and Wilkinson are ex-officio members.

Rep. Beall Gets \$200 For County Crippled League

Tells GOP Group He's Interested In Work

Rep. J. Glenn Beall told members of the Frederick Street Republican club last night that he has a vital interest in local organizations. He accepted a \$200 check for the Allegheny County League for Crippled Children, of which he is a director.

Rep. Beall, who is a candidate for re-election, accepted the check from Edward M. Kirk, club president, who said the money was being donated to the crippled children's league from club funds.

Later in his talk at the G.O.P. rally held in the Frederick Street rooms, Rep. Beall urged members to vote for Governor Dewey, Republican presidential candidate, at the November 2 election.

Rep. Beall said that while President Truman has attacked the 90th Congress for failing to accomplish anything, he has not told the public of anything the Democrat-controlled 79th Congress accomplished.

While many persons are talking about Dewey, Rep. Beall said, not many are doing anything. He has ever criticized in his mind while serving in Congress and declared he would continue to do so when he is elected to return to the 81st Congress.

After accepting the check for the Crippled Children's League, he told more than 250 members who attended that such organizations as the league have always received his keenest interest. They are not supported by federal or state budgets, he said, and therefore need the help of the local citizenry.

A buffet luncheon was served after Rep. Beall spoke.

Chest Clinic Scheduled Here This Week

Approximately 50 appointments have been made for a two-day chest clinic to be held tomorrow and Thursday by Dr. L. B. Lyon, superintendent of the state sanatorium at Sabillasville.

The clinic will be held from 9 a. m. until 2 p. m. both days in clinic rooms in the basement of City Hall.

Local Briefs

The Allegheny Trades Council will meet tonight at 7:30 o'clock in Allegheny Trades Council Hall. Officials said regular order of business will be conducted.

A child hygiene clinic will be held today at 1:30 p. m. at the Cresapton School with Dr. Thomas Robinson, clinician, and Miss Margaret Morrissey, public health nurse, in charge.

The situation at Rome was partly eased yesterday afternoon after Cyrus S. Ching, United States Conciliation Service director, called both sides to a conference in Washington Wednesday at 10 a. m. an attempt to end the 10-weeks old strike.

The union said it had wired that it will attend the Washington conference. An official of the Conciliation Service said no word has been received from the Celanese Corporation but added he expected to have an answer today.

Workers of the Rome plant met yesterday morning to make full scale picket plans for this morning, when the firm was expected to begin a "back to work" movement, the union said.

Achievement award certificates have been sent to 108 local firms which have already reached or exceeded their individual goals in the current Cumberland Community Chest fund campaign, according to Henry C. Swearingen general chairman.

Meanwhile, workers reported at the first general report luncheon yesterday at Central YMCA that a total of \$23,189.46 has been subscribed to date, approximately 28 percent of the total goal of \$84,009.24.

Of that amount, the classified section reported \$4,660.15, or 17 percent of its quota of \$27,510; advanced gifts group reported \$17,000, or 33 percent of its quota of \$51,500; and the residential (women's) section reported \$1,434.31, or 29 percent of its goal of \$5,000.

BIRTHS

Memorial Hospital announced the following births yesterday:

Mr. and Mrs. Lester McCarty, Rawlins, a son.
Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert L. Stouffer, Hyndman, Pa., a daughter.

AID FOR CRIPPLED--

Rep. J. Glenn Beall (right) last night accepted a \$200 check from the Frederick Street Republican Club for the Allegheny County League for Crippled Children, of which he is a director. Edward M. Kirk, club president, presented the check to Rep. Beall at a G.O.P. rally at the Frederick Street rooms of the club.